

REPORTED MEXICO CITY IS CAPTURED BY REBELS

KIEV CAPTURED BY UKRAINIAN-POLISH FORCES

Announcement from Soviet Headquarters Tells of City's Fall

By Associated Press Leased Wire
London, May 8.—Polish and Ukrainian troops captured Kiev on Thursday night said an official statement issued at Moscow yesterday and received here by wireless. The text of the statement says:

"In the Kiev region during the night of May 6-7 our troops engaged superior enemy northwest and southwest of Kiev. Toward evening the enemy broke into the outskirts of the town, but were held up by our counter-attacks. Later our troops in accordance with orders, started to withdraw in order to the left bank of Dnieper river."

"In the direction of Pytaloff our troops repulsed an enemy advance 25 miles south of Krasny. In the direction of Igumen (east of Minsk) the enemy attempted to cross the Bersina river near Bersina village, but was driven back across the river."

Reports that Kiev had fallen were current in Warsaw on Monday of this week but developments showed these reports were erroneous. Today's soviet advices seem to leave no room for doubt that the Polish campaign has been at least temporarily successful.

Dispatches Two Days Old

Latest Warsaw advices on the Kiev campaign are two days old, the dispatch received this morning having been filed in the Polish capital at 5:30 p. m. on Thursday. Available reports from Warsaw indicated that the fight for the approaches to the city was still in progress Thursday.

Kiev, a city of 250,000 or more population before the war is the capital of the Ukraine. The town has changed hands several times during the fighting between contending groups in the Ukrainian territory and the conflict between the Denikin forces and the Bolsheviks. The latter have been in possession of it since last December. Kiev, in addition to its importance to the Ukraine as its chief city, has also been looked upon from the entente side as a valuable outpost at a strategic point against the advance of Bolshevism in central Europe along the central line stretching from the Baltic to the Black sea.

Post Explains Why He Reduced Bonds

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, May 8.—Continuing his defense of his conduct in alien deportations Assistant Secretary of Labor Post told the house rules committee today that in many cases, exceptant bail was demanded by the department of justice so as to keep aliens locked up and that in reducing the amount of bail he only followed the constitutional prohibition against excessive bond. By placing the amount at \$1,000 instead of \$10,000, he said, the government was able to obtain the appearance of the aliens when they were wanted.

Evidently the bail demanded was not to insure the appearance of the accused, but to keep him locked up, said Mr. Post. "I am ready to meet any impeachment charge for reducing bail."

To Name Candidates for Bench on June 17

On June 17 there will be a convention of republican delegates from the five counties of this judicial district at Freeport, for the purpose of nominating candidates for circuit judge to fill the places left vacant by the deaths of Judges Richard S. Farrand and Ralph Eaton.

Among the most prominent candidates for these positions at present are States Attorney Harry Edwards of Lee county and States Attorney F. J. Stransky of Carroll county. Both of these candidates have the unanimous support of the republicans of their counties. States Attorney Edwards was petitioned by every member of the bar of Lee county to become a candidate for the office.

Carload Gasoline Arrived This Morn

Manager Ross Crawford of the Standard oil company, was notified shortly before noon today that a carload of gasoline had been received in the local yards, consigned to the Dixon branch plant. The manager announced that the filling station on Third street and Galena avenue would be filled as soon as the car is switched to the plant and the down town stations will also be cared for late this afternoon, or as soon as convenient.

DEFIED DEATH

The line crew of the Illinois Northern Utilities company of this city defied the powers of electricity yesterday and accomplished a feat which establishes a new local record in the handling of high voltage wires. George Fite, superintendent of the line crew, Ed Lucas, Ed Keenan, linemen and Ollie Noress, line foreman of Oregon, changed an insulator on a pole east of Dixon and in doing so handled wires carrying 33,000 volts. The feat was witnessed by several district superintendents from surrounding towns, line foreman and all of the heads of the departments in the Dixon office. About 2 o'clock, Superintendent Fite and his men climbed a pole about two miles east of Dixon on the Franklin Grove road and with modern linemen's tools, removed a 33,000 volt wire from an insulator replaced the insulator with a new one and made the high voltage wire fast in its original position without turning off the juice.

Awaiting Federal Investigator Here in Morphine Case

C. E. Davidson, of Polo, who was arrested Thursday noon in the reception room of Dr. C. H. Ives and Dr. F. L. Hamilton, is still in custody and on order of Assistant United States District Attorney Douglas Patterson, of Freeport, is being held in the county jail. It is expected that a federal agent will come to Dixon late today or tomorrow to conduct a thorough investigation into the case.

Commissioner John J. Armstrong of the department of public health and safety and Chief of Police J. D. Van Bibber took the matter up with State's Attorney Harry Edwards yesterday following the latter's return from Springfield and the state's attorney communicated with the federal authorities. Davidson required the services of a physician at the county jail last evening.

New Traffic Cops on the Job Today

The new cement and steel traffic posts which had been ordered for some time, were this morning placed on the important intersections of the down town streets and are receiving their first coat of paint. The new posts were built at the Ives-cement products plant west of the city and were delivered yesterday.

With the old posts, the authorities experienced some discomfort in having them carried away on several occasions, but with the new posts a portable derrick would be necessary to remove one of them. They are of a heavy decorative concrete base with a steel post in the center. These are being painted white and present a neat and much improved appearance over the ones which have been in use.

Upholds Election of Stephenson Co. Supt.

Freeport, Ill., May 8.—In the Circuit court Judge Heard dismissed, on motion of defendant's counsel, the action brought by Cyrus Grove to prevent G. W. Scott from holding the office of superintendent of school of Stephenson county. Grove, a democrat defeated in 1918, contested election of his Republican opponent, Scott, claiming Scott could not legally qualify for the office because not actually engaged in teaching at the time of his election.

Missing Dirigible Found This Morning

By Associated Press Leased Wire
New York, May 8.—The missing navy dirigible C-10 reported missing after it had left Chatham, Mass., at 5:45 o'clock this morning landed at the Far Rockaway naval air station at 11:30 a. m.

WEATHER.

SATURDAY, MAY 8, 1920
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago and vicinity—Fair tonight and Sunday; rising temperature Sunday; gentle north to northeast winds, becoming moderate southerly Sunday. Illinois—Fair tonight and Sunday, rising temperature Sunday in west and north portions.

FORECAST FOR NEXT WEEK
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, May 8.—Weather predictions for the week beginning Monday are:

Region of Great Lakes—Some prospects of showers by middle of the week; otherwise, fair; temperatures near or slightly above normal.

Upper Mississippi Valley—Showers probable Tuesday or Wednesday with temperatures slightly above normal; generally fair remainder of the week, with nearly normal temperatures.

LOCAL TEMPERATURE
The range of the local temperature for the 24 hours ending this morning was between 75 and 45 degrees above zero.

DECLARES \$2500 NECESSARY FOR FAMILY OF FIVE

R. R. Brotherhood Economist Makes That Assertion

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, May 8.—A minimum of \$2,500 a year is necessary for the support of an American family of five, W. Jett Lauck, consulting economist for the railroad brotherhoods, asserted today before the railway labor board. Mr. Lauck who yesterday charged corporate profiteers with being chiefly responsible for present living costs, presented today a demand on behalf of the 2,500,000 railway employees for the establishment of a minimum wage throughout the industry. He presented to the board a compilation of budgets on the cost of living based on studies made under his supervision and by federal and state agencies.

"It is impossible," he said, "for a family of five in the United States to maintain itself even in decent poverty under existing conditions for a penny less than \$2,500 a year."

His estimate, he said, was supported by government agencies. The estimate for May, he insisted, should be \$2,533. Mr. Lauck declared that "the fundamental unrest, all interruptions of production and distribution has been high prices and profiteering by organized capital and middle men and retailers."

In concluding he requested that the board curtail its examination of wage data and proceed immediately to the determination of the question of what constitutes a living wage.

Coast to Coast Road As Tribute to Teddy

By Associated Press Leased Wire
New York, May 8.—A Roosevelt Road of Remembrance, planted with memorial trees from ocean to ocean, would be the greatest of all memorials that could be erected in honor of the former president, declared Charles Lathrop Pack, president of the American Forestry association, of Washington, in an address at Flushing today. Mr. Pack spoke at a memorial tree planting in memory of Theodore Roosevelt and Quentin Roosevelt, two white oaks that have been registered on the association's honor roll were dedicated.

"In a Roosevelt Road of Remembrance," said Mr. Pack, "every citizen of the United States would have a part and no finer memorial could be erected than such a memorial highway. As never before the United States needs a great outstanding lesson in forest conservation for this country today faces one of its gravest problems—the perpetuation of its greatest natural resource, the forests."

"Millions are to be spent on improved highways that the producer and consumer may be brought close together. Let us beautify these highways in the building. Let us keep the message. That message was that national prosperity and well being is dependent upon a nation's forests. With such a memorial, arousing the whole nation as it surely would for such would have a part. Theodore Roosevelt would both be honored and would know that his message had been heard."

Bank Loans Growing; Deposits Show Losses

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, May 8.—Loans and discounts of state and national banks here expanded \$57,982,133 since the last bank call, Feb. 28, to a new high total of \$1,544,421,721 as called for reports of the present call revealed today. Deposits shrunk \$30,623,674 to a level of \$1,799,574,670. This loss was in commercial accounts as savings deposits showed an increase of \$17,740,450.

The national banks lost \$54,082,450 of deposits, while the state banks gained \$23,458,776.

Ogle County's War Record is Compiled

Oregon, Ill., May 8.—County Clerk Mead has completed his war record and finds that Ogle County furnished 1,257 men and women for the service and \$7,009,000 in money. 53 were wounded, 36 were gassed and 8 were both wounded and gassed. Thirty-eight died in the service. Of those who met death, ten were killed in action overseas, ten succumbed to pneumonia; three died of wounds and one of gas. Two lost their lives of the influenza and twelve died in camp either in America or abroad, from different causes.

TO STATE CONVENTION.

Grand Knight Martin J. Gannon and James Reynolds, delegates from Dixon council of the Knights of Columbus leave Monday morning for Champagn to attend the annual state convention of that body. Several hundred Knights from all parts of the state will be present at the convention for which a program of unusual interest has been provided, together with entertainment and banquets.

A
MOTHER'S
HEART

BY
EDMUND
VANCE
COCKE

What was the Power which planned
A mother's hand
And made it patient to her child's demand,
To work, to play,
The live-long day
And through the night to hush all harm away?

What was the Impulse which designed
A mother's mind
And made it gentle, generous and kind,
Which makes her child the themes
Of whimsied hopes and schemes
And paints its future with her rainbow-dreams?

And what the Infinite Art
Which set its counterpart
Constant and warm within a mother's heart,
Whereby its inmost pulse is planned
Just — just to understand?
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POPULATION

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, May 8.—Census figures announced today:

Ottawa, Ill., 10,816, increase of 1,231, or 13.4 per cent.

Newark, N. J., 415,609, increase of 63,140, or 19.6 per cent.

Lynn, Mass., 95,148, increase of 9,418, or 11 per cent.

Newark, O., 26,718, increase of 1,314, or 5.2 per cent.

Clinton, Ia., 24,151, decrease of 1,426, or 5.6 per cent.

Muscatine, Ia., 16,068, decrease of 110, or 7 per cent.

Berlin, N. H., 16,104, increase of 4,324, or 36.7 per cent.

Holland, Mich., 12,166, increase of 1,676, or 16 per cent.

Newark, largest city in New Jersey, with a population of 415,609, has outstripped Cincinnati, which ranked it in the last census. Cincinnati's population, recently announced, is 401,123.

Newark ranked as the fourteenth city in 1910 with a population of 347,469. Washington, sixteenth city ten years ago, now outranks both Cincinnati and Newark with a population of 437,414.

Since its first federal census recorded in 1840, Newark has had a steady and substantial growth.

Death Ends Career of Baron E. Walburg

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Budapest, May 8.—Death has closed the romantic career of Baron Ernest Walburg, born to a peasant girl and acknowledged by the late Archduke Ernest. Through the action of the late Emperor Francis Joseph, he was given the title of baron and received a princely allowance which was reduced when he married a poor girl.

During the last few years of his life, Baron Ernest lived with his wife and six children in a two-room flat amid extreme poverty. At one time he served as a waiter in a coffee house where it was the custom to tip him seven silver crowns as recognition of the seven branches of his baronial crown. He died in a hospital here early this week.

King Albert and Queen in Air Trip

By Associated Press Leased Wire
London, May 8.—King Albert and Queen Elizabeth of Belgium came to England by airplane today. They landed at Farnborough, in Kent, flying from Brussels in three hours, 57 minutes.

They made the trip for the purpose of attending the wedding of Lady Cynthia Curzon, daughter of Earl Curzon, the foreign secretary and Lieutenant Oswald Ernald Mosley, Coalition-Unionist member of the House of Commons from Middlesex. The wedding will take place in London on Tuesday next.

Assembly Will Open Big Session July 31

The Rock River Assembly will open its sessions this year on July 31. The management has secured for the program many of the most talented artists and competent speakers on the platform today. Hon. William B. Wilson, Secretary of Labor, will be one of the speakers.

JEALOUS WIFE KILLS HUSBAND WITHOUT CAUSE

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Elgin, Ill., May 8.—Henry C. Fredricks, secretary of the Elgin Granite Works, was shot and instantly killed by his wife shortly before noon today. According to the police Mrs. Fredricks killed her husband while "insanely jealous." A serious illness for which she had been treated in various sanitariums is said to have caused her to suffer hallucinations regarding her husband's conduct.

Without warning she fired at her husband when he came home to lunch. Four of seven shots took effect.

Borden's Raise Pay of All Employees

The Borden employees are a very happy lot of people. Beginning with May first the minimum wage was made \$35 per week in all the Borden plants with double pay overtime. It is substantially a raise of nine dollars per week. Just how high the other fellows reach, that get the maximum, has not been learned but it must be something great.

Most of the Borden men are compelled to work Sundays as well as other days and long hours but it is understood that this Sunday shift has been so adjusted as to hours as to be much easier for the men than formerly.

Dixon Instructors at DeKalb Meeting

Supt. John C. Reeder and Principal Potter of the high school returned home this afternoon from DeKalb, where they attended the 15th annual meeting of the Superintendents' and Principals' association of northern Illinois. The sessions opened yesterday and concluded this forenoon. Hundreds of professors from the northern part of the state attended the two days session. The program was exceedingly interesting, the committee in charge having spent no little time and energy in its preparation. Supt. Reeder is a member of the committee of seven of the association.

D'Annunzio Seizes Italian Steamship

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Trieste, May 8.—Captain Gabriele D'Annunzio today captured the Italian steamship, Baro Fejervary, bound from Trieste to Catania with a cargo of grain. He sent two anti-submarine craft to make the capture which occurred in Quarnero Bay. The captain of the ship was ordered to proceed to Fiume.

"Rallied to His Class"

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Former Mayor of Rock Island Dead

Rock Island, Ill., May 8.—William McConochie, civil war veteran, four times mayor of Rock Island and for many years prominent in Republican party circles died at his home last night, aged 73.

PRINCETON VS. YALE.
By Associated Press Leased Wire
New Haven, Conn., May 8.—The Princeton Tigers invaded Yale Field today for the annual track and field games with the Blue.

PRESIDENT IS CALLED DESTROYER OF FAITH BY SOCIALIST LEADER

National Convention of That Party Opened This Morning

By Associated Press Leased Wire
New York, May 8.—The Socialist party of America opened its 1920 national convention here today with the singing of the "Internationale" the Marseillaise and the Hymn of Free Russia.

Otto Branstetter of Chicago, national executive secretary, then called the convention to order. Two hundred delegates with a number of fraternal delegates from sympathetic international labor bodies, were assembled in the Finnish Workers Education Association hall.

An attack on the administration of President Wilson and a prediction that the Socialist party would poll more than 2,000,000 votes in the presidential campaign were made today by Morris Hillquit, temporary chairman of the convention.

He said that the party would survive the converted attack, unparalleled in ferociousness and lawlessness," made on it in the last year, by "all the powers of darkness and oppression in the country."

He declared that the last three years had furnished the most striking and abhorrent proof of the fallacy of the "good man" theory in politics.

Wilson Faith Destroyer

"If there remained any large sections of workers who put their trust in old party Messiah," he said, "Woodrow Wilson must have effectively destroyed their naive faith, for he remembered that in 1916, Woodrow Wilson ran as a radical."

"He promised Socialism through the short cut of the Democratic party and thousands of radicals throughout the country voted for him rather than to throw away their votes on the hopeless candidates of the Socialist party."

"One-half of the normal supporters of the Socialist party ticket cast their votes for him. Woodrow Wilson was elected over Charles E. Hughes by the vote of the Socialists. In California alone the defection in the normal Socialist vote determined his victory in the presidential contest. Mr. Wilson's administration in the last three years has furnished the most striking and abhorrent proof of the fallacy of the 'good man' theory in place."

Attacks President

"Mr. Wilson, the pacifist, drew us into the world's most frightful war. Wilson, the anti-militarist imposed conscription upon the country in war and urged universal military training, a large standing army and a huge navy in peace."

"Wilson the Democrat, arrogated to himself autocratic power grossly inconsistent with a republican form of government. Wilson the Liberal, revived the medieval institutions of the inquisition of speech, thought and conscience. His administration raided homes and meeting places of his political opponents, destroyed their property and assaulted their persons. Wilson the apostle of the 'new freedom', infested the country with stool piggies and spies and filled the jails with political prisoners. Wilson, the champion of labor, restored involuntary servitude in the mines and on the railroads and answered the wage demands of the workers by jailing their leaders. Wilson, the idealist and humanitarian has inaugurated a reign of moral terrorism and political reaction the like of which this country had never known. The morbid national psychology which he has helped to create has produced such atavistic political types as Palmer, Burleson, Sweet and Lusk. It has advanced to places of honor political mountebanks like Ole Hanson, but has put into prison stripes the noblest and truest types of American manhood, persons like Eugene V. Debs, and many of his less conspicuous fellow prisoners. The pitiful collapse of Wilson's liberalism was nothing accidental."

"Rallied to His Class"

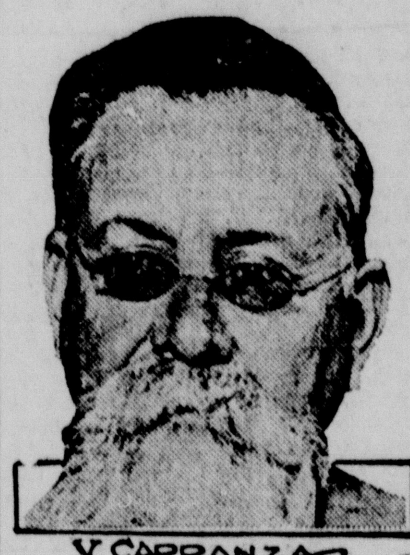
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FLEES CAPITAL



Associated Press dispatches today report that it has been confirmed that President Carranza has fled from Mexico City to Vera Cruz. An unconfirmed report this morning stated that Mexico City had been captured by the Mexican rebels.

"Say Something" is Demand of Strikers on President Grunau

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, May 8.—A demand that John Grunau, head of the Chicago Yardmen's association, inform striking switchmen how today they can get their seniority rights restored was made public today in a letter sent to Grunau by R. S. Murphy, publicity chairman of the association.

"Great numbers of the members of the C. Y. A. are asking: 'When do you expect to land the 95 cents and 41 per hour?'" The letter reads: "It is logical to conclude the labor board will not give our members recognition or consideration until we return to work. What have you to offer us?"

"We all know that the roads have recalled their property which has been in the possession of all the switchmen on vacation and are hiring great numbers of new men to man the yards. We also know the roads are operating fairly well under the circumstances but the question is, how can the seniority rights of the men who have followed the C. Y. A., be restored?"

"Come out from under cover now and say something definite one way or the other."

Twenty-two Entries Ready for Big Derby

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Louisville, Ky., May 8.—With twenty-two thoroughbred three-year-old horses entered for the forty-sixth renewal of the Kentucky derby at Churchill Downs this afternoon, it was the unanimous opinion of turf followers today that the \$30,000 added money classic would be the greatest and most open race ever run.

It is predicted more than 75,000 persons will witness the event. Ethel Gray, by Hessian by Hessian-Sweet Marjoram and Clopatra, a Chestnut filly belonging to W. R. Coe are the only fillies among the entries for today's derby.

Five stables will be represented by coupled entries, including those of H. P. Whitney, G. W. Loft, W. R. Coe, Hal Parr and W. M. Jeffords.

To the Harry Payne Whitney entry, including Danakak Wildair and Upset apparently fell the lot this morning of being public favorite. Unofficial odds on this trio was reported at 4 to 1. The George W. Loft entry, Donnacoon and On Watch, were reported as second choice with the public while the odds on some other horses ranged as high as 50 to 1.

Chess Game; Humans to Serve as Pieces

By Associated Press Leased Wire
New York, May 8.—A chess game in which people will serve as pieces will be played here on May 22 by Frank Marshall, chess champion of the United States and Charles Jaffe, a New York expert, it was announced today.

A giant board will be laid out on the stage of the Manhattan opera house. The pawns will be naval boy scouts in white and blue uniforms. Kings, rooks, bishops and knights will be played by actors made up for the parts while two stage beauties will appear as queens. The players will move their pieces by commands issued from pedestals overlooking the field.

ANNOUNCE SON'S BIRTH.

Mr. and Mrs. George N. Crawford, of Colorado Springs, Colo., announce the birth of a son on May 4th. Mr. Crawford is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Wilber Crawford and Mrs. Crawford is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Flemming, of this city.

SHE'S HUNTING HUNT
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Cincinnati, May 8.—Henry T. Hunt, member of railroad labor board and former mayor of Cincinnati, was today sued for divorce by Mrs. Thomas Hays Hunt.

CAPITALS OF THREE STATES ALSO CAPTURED

Carranza Has Fled Capital to Vera Cruz For Safety

By Associated Press Leased Wire
El Paso, Tex., May 8.—Revolutionary forces under General Benjamin Hill have taken Mexico City, according to an unconfirmed report received here today from Chihuahua City and made public by revolutionary leaders here.

The message from Chihuahua said: "It has been confirmed President Carranza left the capital for Vera Cruz."

THREE CAPITALS FALL.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
El Paso, Tex., May 8.—Three state capitals in Mexico fell into the hands of revolutionists today through the revolt of Carranza's garrison coincidentally with an unconfirmed report given out by revolutionists here that Mexico City, capital of Mexico had been taken by General Benjamin Hill.

Saltito, capital of Coahuila, President Carranza's home state, Zacatecas, capital of the state of Zacatecas and Aguas Calientes, capital of the state of the same name, became revolutionary territory when General J. Augustin Castro and Cosmoro Castro, Carranza commanders of the garrisons at the three capitals, revolted with their troops. Torreon, Coahuila, one of the most important strategic points in northern Mexico also revolted it was said.

All rail and wire communication between the United States boundary and Mexico City had been cut it was said.

The report of the fall of Mexico City to the rebels was received from Chihuahua by revolutionist leaders who received here today. President Carranza provisional president of Mexico met at Aguas Calientes. The rapidly with which the "bloodless revolution" is sweeping Mexico is not altogether to the liking of the revolutionary leaders, according to General F. M. Serrano, chief of staff to General P. Elias Calles.

REBELS TAKE SALTILLO.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Eagle Pass, Tex., May 8.—Saltito, capital of the state of Coahuila, was taken over by Mexican revolutionists yesterday according to unofficial reports received here today. The federal garrison offered resistance, it was said. Train service was suspended south of Monclova about 100 miles south of the border today. The cause of the suspension could not be learned.

COMMUNICATION CUT OFF.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, May 8.—Mexico City is believed here to have been virtually cut off from communication with the outside world through the destruction of the wire lines by the revolutionists. No word from the American embassy at the Mexican capital since Thursday.

No confirmation of reports that the President had left Mexico City has yet been received here.

Marries Day After Husband's Death and She Gets \$9,000,000

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, May 8.—Mrs. Helen Pringle Griffin Bastedo, who married Lieut. Commander Paul Henry Bastedo last Tuesday following the death of her first husband, George Griffin, on Monday, will receive Griffin's \$9,000,000 estate by the terms of his will, his attorneys announced today.

Mr. Griffin died in the south on Monday and the following day his widow married the naval officer at San Diego.

Mrs. Griffin will be buried at Forest Hills, near Boston, Monday. Mrs. Bastedo's mother will represent the widow-bridge at the funeral.

Flour Makes Another Record. High? Sure

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Minneapolis, Minn., May 8.—A rise in wheat prices yesterday was the principal factor in an advance here today of 25 cents a barrel on standard flour, bringing it to a new high level. In 35 pound cotton sacks, sold in carload lots, standard flour was quoted at \$16.25 a barrel, \$3 higher than the lowest price this year.

DENIES HE WILL DECLINE.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
New York, May 8.—Henry Morgenthau, nominated by President Wilson, as ambassador to Mexico, issued a statement today denying reports that he would decline to accept the post, if confirmed by the senate.

Today's Market Report (By Associated Press Leased Wire.)

DAY'S RANGE ON CHICAGO BOARD

	Open	High	Low	Close	Prev.
CORN—May	1.91 1/2	1.92 1/2	1.89 1/2	1.90	1.91 1/2
July	1.71 1/2	1.73 1/2	1.70 1/2	1.71 1/2	1.72 1/2
Sept.	1.61 1/2	1.63 1/2	1.60 1/2	1.61 1/2	1.62 1/2
OATS—May	.92 1/2	.93 1/2	.92	.92 1/2	.93
July	.76 1/2	.77 1/2	.76 1/2	.76 1/2	.77 1/2
Sept.	.66 1/2	.67 1/2	.66 1/2	.66 1/2	.67 1/2
PORK—May	37.00	37.00	36.75	36.85	36.80
July	21.15	21.20	21.15	21.20	21.20
Sept.	22.07	22.07	21.90	21.97	21.97
LARD—May	18.92	18.92	18.85	18.90	18.92
July	19.52	19.52	19.47	19.47	19.50
Sept.					

Corn Mart Weakened by Persistent Sales

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, May 8.—Persistent heavy selling on the part of a house with eastern connections tended today to weaken the corn market. Bearish forecasts of the government crop report were also effective in lowering quotations. Furthermore there was apparently a disposition to anticipate gradual improvement in railroad traffic conditions. Opening prices, which ranged from 1 1/2¢ decline to 1/4¢ advance with July 1 1/2¢ to 1 1/4¢ and Sept. 1 1/2¢ to 1 1/4¢, were followed by a decided set back all around, and then something of a rally.

Oats paralleled the action of corn. After opening 1/4¢ to 1 1/2¢ off, including July at 92 1/2¢ to 92 1/2¢, the market sagged further before beginning to react.

Advances in hog values gave only transient strength to provisions. Grain weakness was an offset.

Subsequently, week and covering by shorts nearly overcame the effects of the early weakness, but the upturns failed to last. The close was heavy 1 1/2¢ to 2¢ net lower with July 1 1/2¢ to 1 1/4¢ and Sept. 1 1/2¢ to 1 1/4¢.

Chicago Cash Grain.
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, May 8.—Corn, No. 2 mixed 2.04; No. 3 mixed 2.02 1/2; No. 4 mixed 2.00; No. 2 yellow 2.05; No. 3 yellow 2.04 1/2; No. 4 yellow 2.00 1/2; No. 2 white 2.03; No. 3 white 2.02 1/2; No. 4 white 1.95; sample grade 1.52 1/2. Oats, No. 2 white 1.14 1/2; No. 3 white 1.12 1/2; No. 4 white 1.10; No. 2 red 3.05; No. 3 red 3.00; No. 4 red 2.95; No. 2 mixed 3.00; No. 3 mixed 2.95; No. 4 mixed 2.90; No. 2 Timothy 10.00; No. 3 Timothy 9.50; No. 4 Timothy 9.00; No. 2 clover 25.00; No. 3 clover 24.00; No. 4 clover 23.00; No. 2 alfalfa 18.00; No. 3 alfalfa 17.00; No. 4 alfalfa 16.00.

Chicago Livestock.
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, May 8.—Cattle receipts 2,500; mostly steady; compared with week ago; heavy beef steers and heavy fat cows steady to lower; medium and light weight 25¢ to 50¢ higher; some yearlings up more; canners 25¢ higher; calves 25¢ to 50¢ lower; suckers and feeders generally 50¢ higher.

Hogs—receipts 10,000; market 15¢ to 25¢ higher; medium and heavy ad 15¢ to 20¢ higher; light 10¢ to 15¢ higher; light butchers 15.00 to 15.35; bulk 15.00 to 15.35; over 14.00 to 14.75; pigs steady to 25¢ lower; bulk 100 to 125 pounds 13.75 to 14.50.

Sheep—receipts 2,000; strong; prime 9¢ pound shorn lambs 19.00; compared with week ago shorn lambs 75¢ to 1¢ higher; wool lambs around 50¢ higher; sheep unevenly lower.

Chicago Produce.
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, Ill. May 8.—Butter higher; creamery 45¢; Eggs—unchanged 27.50 cases. Poultry—alive unchanged. Potatoes firm; receipts 19 cars; northern white sacked and bulk 7.35 to 7.50.

Weekly Grain Review.
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, May 8.—Famine prices for corn have been reached this week. Despite abundance of corn on farms, acute scarcity prevailed at the leading terminal markets, and sent values upward. Compared with a week ago, corn quotations this morning were 13 1/2¢ higher, oats showed 2 1/2¢ to 5 1/2¢ advance, and provisions varied from 20¢ decline to a rise of 6¢.

Urgent buying on the part of shorts forced the corn market to wild jumps.

LEGAL PUBLICATIONS.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
Estate of Max H. Zaph Deceased.
The undersigned, having been appointed Administrator of the Estate of Max H. Zaph deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Lee County, at the Court House in Dixon, Illinois, at the July Term, on the first Monday in July next, at which time all persons having claims against said Estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.

All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 5th day of May A. D. 1920.
Grover W. Gehant, Attorney for said Estate.
Clara E. Zaph, Administratrix.
May 8-15-22

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
Estate of Richard S. Farrand Deceased.
The undersigned, having been appointed Executor of the last Will and Testament of Richard S. Farrand late of the County of Lee, and State of Illinois, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Lee County, at the Court House in Dixon, at the July Term, on the first Monday in July next, at which time all persons having claims against said Estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.

All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 7th day of May A. D. 1920.
Henry C. Warner, Attorney.
Katherine J. Farrand, Executrix.
May 8-15-22

Wall Street Close.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

American Beet Sugar	94 1/2
American Can	41 1/2
American Car & Foundry	135 1/2
American Locomotive	96
American Smelting & Refg	51
American Sumatra Tobacco	90 1/2
American T. & T.	94 1/2
Anacosta Copper	57 1/2
Atchafalpa	80 1/2
Baldwin Locomotive	118 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	35
Bethlehem Steel	95 1/2
Central Leather	74
Chesapeake & Ohio	53 1/2
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	35 1/2
Corn Products	97 1/2
Crucible Steel	146
General Motors	30 1/2
Great Northern Ore Cts.	36 1/2
Goodrich	64
Int. Mer. Marine	85 1/2
International Paper	74
Kennecott Copper	27 1/2
Mexican Petroleum	186 1/2
New York Central	71 1/2
Norfolk and Western	31 1/2
Northern Pacific	75
Ohio Cities Gas	40 1/2
Pennsylvania	40 1/2
Reading	86 1/2
Rep. Iron & Steel	97 1/2
Sinclair Cons Oil	36 1/2
Southern Pacific	95 1/2
Southern Railway	22 1/2
Studebaker Corporation	82
Texas Co.	55 1/2
Tobacco Products	65 1/2
Union Pacific	118 1/2
United States Rubber	99 1/2
United States Steel	97 1/2
Utah Copper	70
Westinghouse Electric	49
Willys-Overland	29
Ill. Cent. & P.	35 1/2
C. R. I. & P.	35 1/2
Stand. Oil	104 1/2

CONDITION OF BANKS
By Associated Press Leased Wire
New York, May 8.—The actual condition of clearing house banks and trust companies for the week shows that they hold \$5,397,640 reserve in excess of legal requirements. This is a decrease of \$25,441,520 from last week.

East St. Louis Horses.
By Associated Press Leased Wire
East St. Louis, Ill.—Horses—eastern chunks \$150 to \$225; southern horses choice \$140 to \$185; draft good to choice \$150 to \$275.

Mules—16 to 17 hands 200 to 240; 15 to 15 1/2 hands \$110 to \$250; 14 to 14 1/2 hands \$90 to \$150.

Local Markets.

GRAIN
Oats 1.63 to 1.65
Corn 1.70 to 1.75

PRODUCE
Butter 60
Eggs 39
Lard 22

MAY MILK PRICE
From May 1 until further notice the Board of Milk Producers will pay \$2.70 per cent. for milk testing 3.5 per cent. butter fat, with the usual addition or subtraction of 4 cents per point for milk above or below that standard.

TO PLEAD SELF DEFENSE
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Mount Vernon, Mo., May 8.—Attorneys for Mrs. Myrtle Hixon, who will go to trial here next Monday, charged with the murder of her husband, E. H. Hixon, farmer, indicated today that a plea of self defense would be made.

George Netts left last evening for Detroit to spend a few days on business.

WANTED—Several healthy young men age 22 to 40 years who are good workers on our Merchant's Police Department. Applicants must be able to refer to all their past employers. Good steady job, good chance for promotion, Salary \$104.00 a month to start. Address in own hand writing, Pinkerton's Protective Patrol, 137 South Wells St., Chicago, Ill. 11012 May 8-12.

WANTED—Two young married men—One as shipping clerk, other special light factory work—This is good chance for men with a little money who want to buy a home and need help to finance the same. Apply to H. G. Reynolds, Reynolds Wire Co., 11013.

LOST—Black pocketbook, evening of May 1st, containing book with owner's name, two keys, calling cards not owner's about a dollar in change. Anxious to get keys and purse back. Address Mrs. Charles Heckman, Polo, 11013.

FOR SALE—Some old fashion Walnut furniture; frames etc.; large case of shelves; good Walnut piano; 22 rifle. Also home made pies, doughnuts and baked beans made to order. Phone R-559. 11013.

FOR SALE—Furniture; 1 Library table new, 1 round Dining Table, 6 Dining Chairs, 1 bed complete and dresser. Apply Red Cottage just east of Hotel, Assembly Park. Phone K-846. 11013.

FOR SALE—\$700 buys 1915 Franklin touring car, run less than 19000 miles, in excellent condition. J. H. Michel, West Brooklyn, Ill. 11016.

LOST—Spare wire wheel with tire, for Ford, between Dixon and Sterling. Reward. Miller Bros. Taxi Line, Sterling. 11013.

WANTED—Machine Man and Bench Man at O. Selgstad & Son Planning Mill, 213 E. 1st St., Dixon, Ill. 11013.

FOR SALE—Gas range, in good condition. Call X1151 or at 77 Harrison ave. 11011.

FOR RENT—Furnished room in modern home for either lady or gentleman. Telephone X-673. 11011.

FOR RENT—Strictly modern furnished house. Possession June 1st. Call 109 E. 5th St. 11013.

FOR SALE—Modern eight-room house, oak finish—desirable location. J. H. Williams, 320 Fifth St. 11013.

FOR SALE—One New Dodge Coupe 1920 Model. Call deliver at once. Telephone 33A. 11011.

THE BIG PERFORMANCE IS YET TO COME



Wilson Signs Bill to Help Railroads

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, May 8.—The urgent deficiency bill carrying \$300,000,000 for railroad operation deficiencies was signed today by President Wilson. It is expected that \$12,000,000 of this sum will be made available to the roads for the purchase of new rolling stock.

Auto Driver Held for Death of Girl

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Hannibal, Mo., May 8.—P. S. McDonald, 21, was arrested last yesterday afternoon on a warrant based on a Missouri law which makes it a felony for an automobile driver to leave the place of an accident without stopping and giving his name and address. He admitted driving a car which struck Miss Mary Buck, who died two hours later of injuries.

Mrs. Grace Oddy is spending a few days at the Murray home in Polo.

RETURNED FROM HOSPITAL.

Henry Hey, manager of the Dixon Ice Cream Co., has returned to his home from the Dixon hospital where he has been for the past six weeks following an operation from which he is slowly recovering. He is now able to sit up a portion of each day.

WHEAT FORECASTS

Washington, May 8.—Winter wheat this year was forecast at 486,647,000 bushels or 33.8 per cent less than last year's crop by the department of agriculture today.

LICENSED TO WED.

A marriage license was issued this morning to Harold H. Brierton and Miss Alta B. Vail, both of this city.

SUSPEND COFFEE INCREASE

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Washington, May 8.—Suspension of schedules proposing increased rates on coffee from Galveston, and other gulf ports was ordered today by the Interstate Commerce Commission. A hearing on the increase was ordered.

TO SOUTH BEND—

Mrs. Anna Craig has gone to Chicago for a few days' visit and will later go to South Bend, Ind., to visit with her daughter, Mrs. Raymond Flemming.

Miss Mary Benson will sing tomorrow at the Congregational church.

Society

STUDENT RECITAL—

A student recital of the younger pupils of Prof. and Mrs. W. H. Smith was given at their home Friday evening. Those participating included Nona Philib, Evelyn Pope, Josephine Miller, Marion Gilbert, Mary Evelyn Miller, Della Smith, Frances Zoeller, Hughes Brewster and Allen Smith, of Dixon, and Anna O'Hare and Marguerite Peterson, of Sterling. All gave piano numbers with the exception of Miss Della Smith and Miss Josephine Miller, who gave a violin duet, Hughes Brewster, who gave a saxophone solo and Allen Smith, who played a clarinet solo. Marguerite Peterson, of Sterling, gave both violin and piano numbers, and Mary Evelyn Miller both sang and gave a piano selection. The affair was a very delightful one and the numbers were all exceptionally rendered. A company of over fifty, parents of the pupils, was in attendance. Spring flowers from the garden, including daffodils, flowering currant, and violets were attractively disposed about the house. Preparations are being made for a recital of the older pupils to be held later, probably in June.

BROWN-THOMPSON

J. Howard Thompson, of this city, was united in marriage to Mrs. Lela Brown, of Belmont, Ill., on Tuesday evening, May 4th, at the home of the bride's parents, Belmont, Ill. Rev. A. M. Smith, of the Christian church, officiated. After the ceremony a wedding dinner was served. The bride and groom left for Dixon on the Wednesday morning train and arrived here that evening. Friends here had arranged for their entertainment by preparing an elaborate dinner in their honor. Others serenaded them during the evening. Mrs. Thompson is a lady of charming personality and will be missed greatly from her home town but no doubt will find many appreciative friends among the groom's many acquaintances.

WITH MRS. SMITH—

Miss Anna O'Hare, of Sterling, was a house guest last night and today of Mrs. W. H. Smith. Miss O'Hare appeared in the student recital given at the home of Prof. and Mrs. Smith last evening.

WITH COUSIN—

Miss Marguerite Peterson, of Sterling, who came last evening for the student recital at the home of Prof. and Mrs. W. H. Smith, is a week-end guest at the home of her cousin, Miss Ruth Dimmick.

MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED—

Announcement is made by Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Covert of the marriage of their daughter, Mae Eleanor, to Dr. Herbert B. Brumer, on Sunday, May 2nd, in the Holy Angels Church, Oakwood Boulevard, Chicago. A wedding

WILSON IS CALLED DESTROYER OF FAITH BY SOCIALIST LEADER

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create a progressive middle class party have met with little response.

Nominations Next Week
Formulation of the party's platform will be begun next week. The nominations for president and vice president, it is expected will not be made until near the close of the convention but it is virtual unanimous opinion of the party leaders that Eugene V. Debs, now serving a ten year term in the federal prison at Atlanta, Ga., for violation of the espionage act, will head the ticket.

Among those prominently mentioned for the nomination for vice president are Seymour Stedman of Chicago, general counsel of the party, Scott Nearing, formerly professor of economics at the university of Pennsylvania and Mrs. Kate Richards O'Hare of Kansas City, now serving a term for violation of the espionage act in the federal prison at Jefferson, Mo.

NELSON.

Mrs. George Onken spent Friday in Peoria where she met Mr. Onken and went shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Zanger and son, Lowell Smith, have moved to Eagle Grove, Ia., where Mr. Zanger has a position with the C. & N. W.

Mrs. Earle D. Stitzel returned Tuesday evening from Kewanee, Ill., where she had been visiting her friend, Miss Agnes Goeke, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Scofield were in northern Wisconsin a few days last week where they were looking over some land with a view to buying.

Glen Palmer has returned from a visit with friends in Chicago.

Mrs. Jesse Seayster, formerly Miss Gertie Talmadge, submitted to an operation for appendicitis Tuesday morning at the Dixon hospital and is getting along as well as can be expected.

M. C. S.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. John A. Simpson, Pastor.
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
Morning church service at 10:45. Appropriate sermon by the pastor. There will be no evening service. In the afternoon all are invited to hear the great lecture by Hon. John G. Woolley in the Methodist church at three o'clock.

Only known map showing all proven Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico and Louisiana Oil fields, and other valuable information free. Don't invest before seeing it. R. V. Wilson, Mgr. Texas Traffic Ass'n., Hoffman Bldg., Houston, Texas. 11011.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Coffman, of Polo, were Thursday traders.

No Advance in Prices

PENNSYLVANIA VACUUM CUP TIRES

To make a doubly attractive incentive to early season buying, we will give, during the month of May, a **FREE AUTO TUBE "TON TESTED"** with each Vacuum Cup Tire you purchase. Not shelf-worn, "seconds" goods, but fresh tubes right out of stock.

Note the Prices of Tubes. These are Given FREE! Present prices cannot hold long against a steadily advancing market—Free tubes for this month only.

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For ECONOMY'S sake, compare these prices with what you pay for ordinary tires:

Size	Vacuum Cup Casings—Fabric	Vacuum Cup Casings—Cord	Ton Tested Tubes
30x3 1/2	\$23.70	\$38.55	\$3.50
32x3 1/2	\$27.90	\$42.95	\$3.80
34x4	\$40.85	\$57.40	\$5.65
35x5	\$70.95	\$80.35	\$8.50

Other sizes at proportionate figures.

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Society

Monday
W. R. C. Meeting—G. A. R. Hall.
Westminster Guild—Miss Ruth Morris.
Chapter A. C. Illinois P. E. O.—Mrs. W. H. Coppins.
Peoria Ave. Reading Club—Miss Bosworth.

Tuesday
Service Star Legion "Gold Star Mothers' Day"—G. A. R. Hall.

Wednesday
Kingdom Community Aid—Mrs. Lee Brink.
Palmyra Mutual Aid—Mrs. Gus Selig, 232 Everett St.

THURSDAY READING CIRCLE—

Mrs. J. W. Watts and daughter, Mrs. Clea Bunnell, very pleasantly entertained the members of the Thursday Reading Circle at their home in North Dixon on Friday afternoon. The members were especially happy to have with them a number of members who have been absent for a time.—Mrs. Wm. Greig, who has been living in Lawrence, Mich., and is again residing here; Mrs. Bishop, who has been spending the winter in Chicago, and Mrs. Ackert, who has been in St. Louis for the winter. Mrs. Sterling had the program in charge. Her subject was "King Louis, XIV." of France, and the place at Versailles and all the splendor, magnificence, and display which characterized his reign were adequately described. A contrast shown in the condition of the people of France during that period as they were sorely taxed that the king might live in all this splendor. The paper was most enjoyable and instructive in that it gave a clear insight into that period of history. A delightful reading by Mrs. Charles Floto closed the program. The afternoon ended after the guests had enjoyed the dainty collation served by the hostesses.

M. E. MISSIONARY—

The Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist church held its meeting on Thursday afternoon with Mrs. A. D. George. The program of the afternoon opened with the singing of the song, "Publish Good Tidings." Mrs. Joseph Beech was in charge of the devotional service. A beautiful service for the reception of the new members, secured through a recent membership campaign, was conducted by the Membership Marshal, Mrs. C. H. Meyers. Thirty-two members were added to the society through this campaign. A pleasing vocal selection by Mrs. Ernest C. Lumsden preceded the paper of the afternoon, "Minute Men of Other Lands," given by Miss Callie Morgan. The program ended with a delightful piano selection and an encore given by Miss Alice Powell. Delegates were chosen to the Sub-district Convention to be held at Syracuse on May 11th and were Mrs. Harned and Mrs. Lewis.

SENN-SHELLER—

Henry Wales Sheller and Miss Lela Senn, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Senn, of Grand Detour, were married at the Presbyterian parsonage at 8:30 Wednesday evening. Miss Myrtle Anderson and Howard Byers were the attendants. Mr. Tidball officiated, using the ring-ceremony. Both young people have many friends in Dixon. Mr. Sheller was employed in the Stine Shoe store and Miss Senn was bookkeeper in the Ware Hardware store for a time.

PRISCILLA CLUB MET—

The Priscilla club of Franklin Grove held an all-day meeting at the home of Mrs. Charles Arnold on Friday, a most delightful day to all the members present, as a large part of the day was spent in the open, enjoying the warm, spring sunshine and the sights and sounds of spring. At noon a most appetizing luncheon was served. Miss Evelyn Birch, of Dixon, and Mrs. Clarence Lehman were guests.

R. N. A. TENTION—

The Royal Neighbors and Woodmen are requested to meet tomorrow evening at 7 o'clock in Miller hall to go in a body to the Mother's Day service held in the Grace Evangelical church. The North Side Royal Neighbors will meet the others at the church. Flowers will be provided.

FOR NIECE'S GRADUATION—

Messrs. Frank and Charles Hansen and the latter's daughter, Arvenia, came out from Chicago to attend the graduating exercises at the Sugar Grove church. Their niece, Miss Vernece Adams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Adams, of Pine Creek, was one of the twenty graduates.

LUNCHEON TO CLUB—

Mrs. Ray Cramer entertained the Inter Nos Circle delightfully on Thursday afternoon, serving a two course luncheon. The members occupied themselves with their needlework during the remainder of the afternoon.

PALMYRA MUTUAL AID—

An all-day meeting of the Palmyra Mutual Aid will be held on Wednesday, May 12th, at the home of Mrs. Gus Selig, 232 Everett street. As many as can possibly come are needed as there is a great deal of work to be done.

WESTMINSTER GUILD—

The Westminster Guild will meet the coming Monday evening at 8 o'clock with Miss Ruth Morris. Miss Amy Petersberger will be the assisting hostess. Each member is to be prepared to answer to roll call with a favorite verse of scripture.

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THE GREAT AMERICAN HOME



PRESBYTERIAN PICTURE PARTY—

A most delightful social time, with the entertainment offered of rather an unusual nature, was the outcome of the "Picture Party" at the Presbyterian church last night, given under the auspices of the Woman's Auxiliary. Pictures old and new were shown and included twenty living pictures.—Styles Out and In, The Things Loved Best, A Late Supper, Chances Dirt, The Barefoot Boy, A Trying Time, Colonial, Scene Coldlocks, Sweet and Low, The New Silver, The Doll's Tea Party, The Schoolma'am, The Red Cross First Aid, Beauty Specialist, The First Flag, Oulja Board, Evening Prayer, Two Beauties, John Alden and Priscilla, Andy and Min and other shadow pictures. The enumeration of the names scarce give a hint of the real cleverness of the pictures. The Westminster quartet sang behind the scenes one of the national airs during the presentation of the picture. The First Flag, showing Betsy Ross making the flag. The effect was especially good. Refreshments were served in cafeteria fashion in the basement after the entertainment and there were ice cream, two kinds, cake, sandwiches, pickles and coffee, an ample variety, served by the men, honorary members of the auxiliary.

TO AMBOY GRADUATION—

Miss Lella Hinds is visiting relatives in Amboy where she went to attend the graduating exercises of the rural schools held there Thursday. Her cousin, Miss Audra Brooks, was one of the graduates.

PRACTICAL CLUB POSTPONED—

The meeting of the Practical club, which was scheduled for next Tuesday has been postponed, the date of meeting to be announced later.

TO MENDOTA—

Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Worsley left this afternoon, motoring to Mendota, where they will spend Sunday visiting with relatives.

TO AURORA—

Mrs. John Reilly and little son are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Levi, of Aurora, before going to Freeport to make their home.

WITH PARENTS—

Hill Leith, of the Halsey-Stewart Bond Investment Co., Chicago, spent the past two days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Leith, of Third St.

FROM STERLING—

Mrs. Mary Feeley and daughters, Justine and Kathleen, of Sterling, are here to spend the week-end with friends.

FOR WEEK-END VISIT—

Miss Helen Tribou is here from Rockford for a week-end visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred K. Tribou.

TO MCCORMICK CONCERT—

Dr. and Mrs. R. B. Saxmann will attend the John McCormick concert Sunday afternoon in Chicago.

TO LIVE IN DIXON—

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Buhler, formerly of Sterling, have come to Dixon to reside and are at 819 Galena avenue.

MOTORED TO OREGON—

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Higgins and Mrs. H. J. Mosher motored to Oregon Friday.

ANNOUNCE BIRTH—

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Holderman, 602 College Ave., announce the birth of a daughter, this afternoon.

PEORIA AVE. CLUB—

The Peoria Ave. Reading club will hold its meeting Monday with Miss Bosworth.

GRACE EVANGELICAL.

Rev. C. G. Unangst, pastor. A slight change is necessary in the announcement of the Grace Evangelical church. The Mother's Day service will be held in the evening Sunday, instead of in the morning, as previously announced. The pastor, Rev. C. G. Unangst, who has just returned from Iowa, will speak on the "Midnight Alarm," at the 10:45 a. m. service. At the Mother's Day service in the evening, seats will be reserved for the members of the Modern Woodmen and Royal Neighbors of America. Miss Graves will sing. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

COLUMBIA VS. NAVY.

By Associated Press Leased Wire. Annapolis, Md., May 8.—Columbia University and Naval Academy oarsmen were in prime condition for their regatta on the Severn river late today. The middies ruled strong favorites.

Service Star Legion
will give a

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THURSDAY, MAY 13

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Extra Ladies 25c

Toot Sweeters Orchestra

John G. Woolley to Lecture at Methodist

John G. Woolley, one of the foremost orators and lecturers of America, a man who has traveled over the entire civilized world and spoken before many thousands in every important city, will deliver his great lecture, "When Good Men Rule the World," in the Methodist church Sunday afternoon, May 9, at 3 o'clock. The lecture will deal with vital subjects. Admission is free. Mr. Woolley was for years editor and publisher of "The New Voice," in Chicago. He was the candidate of the Prohibition party for the presidency of the United States in 1900. For many years he has been identified with the larger work of the Anti-Saloon League. No man of late years has done more than Mr. Woolley to bring about the passage of the recent national prohibition amendment.

THE METHODIST CHURCH.

Rev. Ernest C. Lumsden, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45, Supt. C. C. Hintz.

Morning service at 10:45; subject, "Mothers of Men."

Epworth League at 6:30.

Evening service at 7:30. Subject, "Radium for League Work."

Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30.

The newly elected officers of the league will be installed at the evening preaching service. The sermon will be for young folk. We invite all to attend.

Make this month, "Come to Church Month." The services are helpful and inspiring. Honor your Mother by being in church Sunday morning.

Hear Hon. J. G. Woolley at the meeting in this church Sunday at 3:00. He is one of America's greatest orators.

Pray for work and live for your church. In so doing we honor our great Leader.

Good music.

NACHUSA CHAPTER SPECIAL.

A special meeting of Nachusa Chapter No. 56, R. A. M., at which the Royal Arch degree will be conferred on two candidates, will be held at 7 o'clock Monday evening. Refreshments will be served after the business meeting.

NOTICE

All bills pending against G. C. Harbaugh of the Yellow Taxi line should be presented at once. 10913.

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Dixon vs. Sterling Tomorrow Afternoon

The Sterling Indians, a team composition and is to be a hitter of no players, will oppose the Dixon Browns at the Dixon park tomorrow afternoon. The Indians have a strong lineup and will give the Browns a fast run. The local team has had three seasons of practice this week and have strengthened some of the weak spots which were in evidence in last Sunday's game with the Rockford Maroons.

Manager Drake has arranged for a new short stop on his team who will likely appear in tomorrow's lineup. The new comer is said to have had several years of experience in this posed of the pick of Sterling's baseball mean ability. This addition alone should strengthen the Browns and with weather conditions favoring, this game should attract a good crowd of fans. Lightner will pitch the entire game for the locals, with Larkins and Kivlan catching.

Two Rockford Tots Drowned in Quarry

Rockford, Ill., May 7.—While playing on a raft at the Hart & Page stone quarry, west of Kilburn avenue yesterday afternoon, George and Harry Hosfeldt, aged 6 and 4 respectively, 1224 Fairview avenue, suddenly toppled into the water and were drowned. Boys nearly heard a feeble cry for aid and hurried to the scene, but in spite of the fact the children were in the water but a few minutes, heroic attempts to resuscitate were unsuccessful.

SUNDAY DINNER

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Sister Mary's Kitchen

Before making up a cotton dress it's a simple matter to shrink the material and set the color both at the same time.

Common table salt dissolved in cold water is quite capable of setting the color in gingham or chambray or voile or any wash fabric. About a cupful of salt dissolved in enough water to thoroughly wet and cover the goods is the proportion to use. Let the cloth stand in the solution for several hours. Wring carefully to avoid wrinkles and dry in the shade.

This process at the same time shrinks the material.

If the dress pattern is kept in its folds it will be much easier to handle.

MENU FOR TOMORROW

Breakfast—Broiled bacon, creamed potatoes, toast, rhubarb sauce, coffee.

Luncheon—Baked spinach, brown bread and butter, plain cookies, tea.

Dinner—Pot roast of beef, boiled potatoes, string beans, lettuce and radish salad, whipped fruit jelly, coffee.

My Own Recipes

Spinach is one of the best spring vegetables we have. If possible it should be served in some form nearly every day. Of course one soon gets tired of the same thing so it's up to the cook to invent different ways to serve this important food.

Baked Spinach

2 pounds spinach
2 hard-boiled eggs
3-4 cup grated cheese
3 eggs
4 tablespoons milk
2 tablespoons butter
1-8 teaspoon mustard
1-2 teaspoon salt
Paprika.

Wash spinach and cook in its own juice till tender. Drain and chop. Mash yolks of hard-boiled eggs and mix thoroughly with spinach, seasoning with salt and pepper. Line a deep, buttered baking dish with the spinach. Dot with bits of butter. Beat eggs slightly, add milk, cheese, chopped hard-boiled egg whites, mustard, salt and paprika. Pour into spinach mold and bake in a moderate oven about 20 minutes, till the custard sets.

Whipped Fruit Jelly

1 package prepared gelatine (any flavor).
2 bananas
1 orange
1-2 cup fresh strawberries
1 egg
1-2 cup powdered sugar
2 tablespoons granulated sugar.
1 teaspoon flour
1-4 cups milk.

1-4 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon vanilla.

Follow directions on package for preparing jelly. When cool, but before the liquid begins to set, beat with a Dover egg beater. Beat the white of the egg till stiff and dry and beat in powdered sugar. Beat this into the jelly. The jelly should be starting to solidify. Add the fruit in pieces. Make a boiled custard with the yolk of the egg mixed with sugar, salt, flour dissolved in scalded milk and cooked over hot water till thick. Cook and flavor with vanilla. It will take the jelly 6 or 7 hours to become firm. Serve on plates with the custard.

Don't sound reasonable when the financiers say the H. C. L. is due to too much money.

Mary.

Sugar Conference to Be Friendly—But

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, May 8.—Charles F. Clyne, United States district attorney, invited representatives of 35 wholesale sugar dealers to meet him today in an effort to reach an agreement on a fair price for sugar.

Mr. Clyne termed it a "friendly conference," but added that dealers must understand "the sale of sugar in railroad yards must stop."

CORPORATION MERGE.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, May 8.—The Stewart-Warner Speedometer Corporation announced today that it would acquire the Stewart Manufacturing corporation by exchange of stock on the basis of share for share.

Machine Shop Was Destroyed by Fire

The timely discovery of a fire which had doubtless been burning for some time in a work shop in the rear of the Oliver McGinnis home, 911 Kings Court, yesterday afternoon shortly after 3 o'clock, prevented thousands of dollars worth of property from being destroyed. The fire was discovered about 3:15 and the fire department summoned. Upon their arrival, it was found that the interior of the work shop was practically gutted and the flames were spreading to the residence only a short distance away.

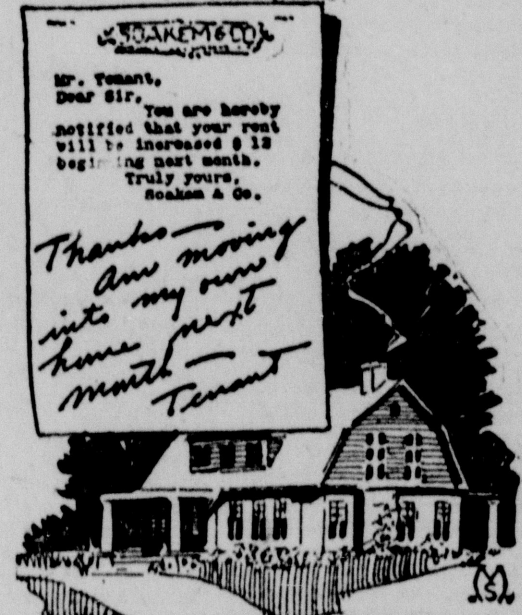
The firemen placed two streams of water on the flames and fought them back into the work shop, where they were soon entirely extinguished. The shop and its contents are practically a total loss and the roof of the kitchen was somewhat damaged. When the department arrived, it was feared that the house and other adjoining property would be destroyed by the flames and some families moved a part of their household goods into the street.

SUICIDE'S BODY FOUND.

The body of Mrs. Louis Bristol, of Morrison, who committed suicide by jumping into Rock Creek south of that city on Tuesday morning, April 20, was recovered from the creek yesterday afternoon by Burnett Plant-haber, who since the tragedy has spent much time searching for the body, for the recovery of which a reward of \$500 had been offered by the woman's family.

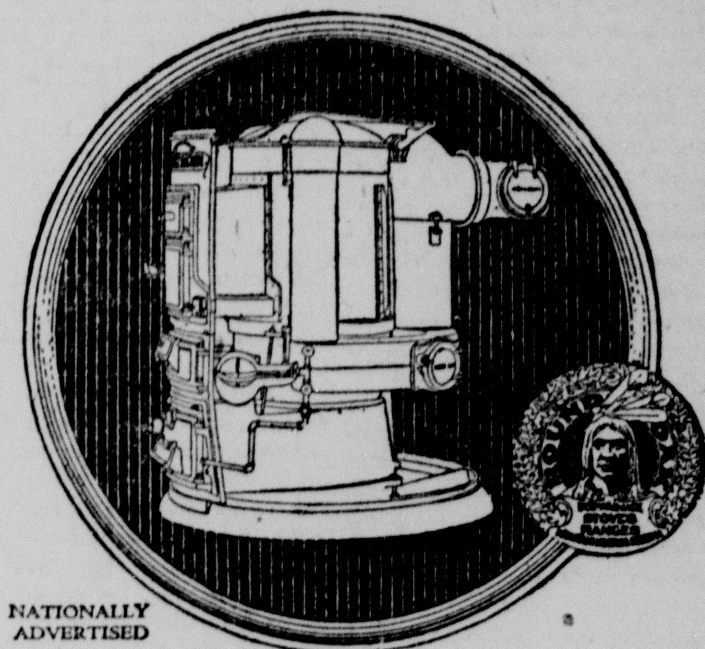
Mr. and Mrs. F. X. Newcomer are in Chicago.

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Keep alive in your breast that little
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Washington.

CANCER

The American Society for the Con-
trol of Cancer has felt it necessary to
issue another strong warning to the
general public to guard itself against
insidious disease.

The society declares that between
75,000 and 100,000 now die in the
United States, in a single year, from
cancer; that the annual increase is
2½ per cent and that deaths from
this disease are on the increase in ev-
ery civilized country on the globe. In
America it causes one death in every
19 after the age of 40.

A special effort is being made by
the society to make the public realize
that cancer in its early stages is a
disease that can be eradicated, that a
large proportion of deaths are thus
preventable and that every wise per-
son will consult a physician at the first
moment anything unusual is felt.

Cancer is a very curious disease
which the society's experts say, is due
to the running wild of certain parts
of the body tissue; for example, a few
cells in the breast or in the liver or
in some other organ grow beyond the
natural limit and invade the sur-
rounding tissues; then comes the
cancer. This cancer often does not
give any notice of its presence until
a long time after the trouble has be-
gun, because the cells composing it
are the same, or nearly the same, as
the cells from which they started, and
therefore, the body does not recognize
the fact that a cancer is growing un-
til it becomes of considerable size.

The origin of cancer has been aptly
compared to the situation in a family
seated at a dinner table when a sup-
posed relative arrives and is given a
place—the newcomer eating all the
food and finally the family itself.
This is just what a cancer does. It
starts very quietly, is very small at
first, but gradually grows and de-
stroys then very tissues that feed it,
until ultimately it kills its host by the
destruction of some important part
of the body. But in such a case, the
cells of the body itself are the para-
sites, there being no external para-
sites, so far as is known, introduced
from the outside to cause the cancer.
Meanwhile, thousands of medical
and chemistry scientists the world
over are giving their best efforts to
solve the mysteries that still lie in
this dread disease and the day will
come when the terrors of this disease
will be largely eliminated. Speed the
day.

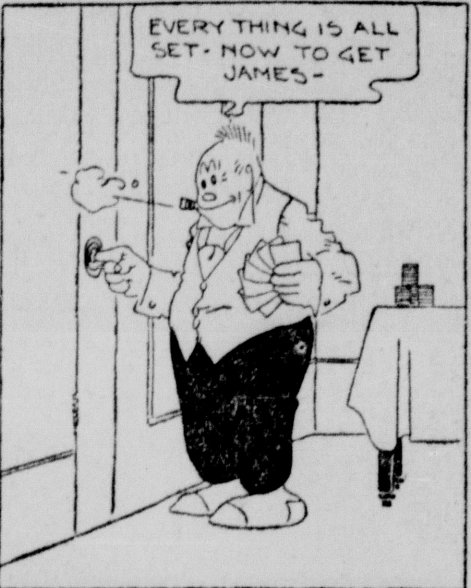
MUST HAVE HOUSES

The government is spending mil-
lions on every conceivable scheme,
yet has not spent a dollar and has not
made an effort to provide homes for
the people in their great need. In
fact, the public's ability to get loans
for home building has actually been
reduced in recent months through
tight credit largely caused by the
Federal Reserve Board's increase in
discount rates to banks, which is be-
ing reflected in reduced lending and
higher interest rates.

The dangers of the housing situa-
tion in this country cannot be over-
estimated. Hundreds of thousands
of people are literally in distress and
despair because they cannot find fit
places to live, or because of the utter
impossibility of meeting enormous
rent increases.

In thousands of homes living stand-
ards are actually being seriously re-
duced because too large a portion of
the family income is going into rent,
because of over-crowding, poor sani-
tation and similar handicaps imposed
by the housing shortage.

BRINGING UP FATHER.

Confessions of a Bride
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"Jane, dear, you usually have great faith in Bob's undertakings. Why are you so blue about this?" asked Daddy Lorimer when Dr. Travers had taken his patient back his state-room.

I Feel as if Something
Uncanny Would Hap-
pen to the "Ione."

"Of course I think that kind of a hunch is all bosh, my child. You know my opinion about manifestations of the supernatural. All rot. No mental telepathy for me! Cheer up, dear child!"

"I know what you believe, Daddy. You and I feel just alike about Chry's ouija board. But somehow this is different."

Daddy Lorimer laughed. I think it was the first time since he had left his children behind him at the hacienda.

"One's pet superstition is always different," he said. "Just this morning I came across a brand new one—new to me, at least. I set my shoes on a shelf of the cubby hole of my stateroom. The negro, who valets for me on the boat took them off with many apologies. Shoes when not in use must always be kept on the floor, he protested. Bad luck will befall the owner if shoes are put on a chair, shelf or table. He went away leaving me under the impression that this is a doomed ship."

"Evidently, I'm trying," I insisted. "Daddy, I do not want the 'Ione' to leave this place tonight. I feel as if something uncanny were going to happen. Really, I do!"

"Hasn't the worst happened already?" Daddy asked softly. He referred to the disappointment of Chrys, of course, but as if to assure me that he believed she would return, he added in a bantering tone:

"Nothing dreadful can happen here—unless you elope with that handsome young Travers!"

That was a thunderbolt from a clear sky! I suppose my face expressed my complete astonishment. I flushed crimson—flushed with anger as well as humiliation.

Daddy's remarks are often unconsidered and embarrassing. He has a crude sense of humor. I frequently resent it. I suppose my indignation startled him.

"Don't take what I said so seriously, little girl. I'm a thoughtless old duffer, but I guess you know my way."

I patted his hand in token of forgiveness and changed the subject abruptly:

"Lots of clever people do believe in the supernatural, Daddy. It's become quite a fad, since the war. There's Sir Oliver Lodge, for instance. He sincerely believes that he has had messages from his dead son, Raymond."

"I don't doubt that Lodge is honest, my love. But I myself side with a former member of the Society for Psychical Research—a man named Rinn, who has made it his life work to expose mediums. He helped to prove the notorious Palladino a humbug. He says that scientists are easy dupes for psychic fakirs. Why, Palladino, the boss impostor of the age, came over here endorsed by a bunch of eminent men. But she was exposed as a fraud with a big bag of tricks."

"Maybe—but I wish you'd humor my feelings, this time, Daddy."

"Girle, let's be practical. I'm not going to give up our folks for lost if they do not arrive at midnight. I could get an army and go back and raze the place—you know that. But I've faith in those boys. They are chuck full of resources. So I am not going to interfere. I'll obey their orders. If they are not here by midnight, the 'Ione' will put out to sea. Not that the skipper will hurry. I suppose he will sail at daybreak. And if the fine weather holds, you'll soon be safe at home getting a wire from your husband. You can't get in touch with him here, my dear."

"I wonder—" I began. But of what use would it be to tell Daddy what I was wondering?

(To Be Continued)

Of all forms of profiteering, that of the landlords has probably been the most flagrant and merciless. A horde of house and apartment speculators has grown rich by repeated buying and selling of houses and apartments, by sales of leases and similar practices.

Restlessness and discontent, disease, unsanitary conditions and impaired morals are the logical products of the situation.

It is a crying shame that the government had done nothing to correct this grave condition. The government, of course, cannot do all; but by its help the situation can be remedied far more speedily than otherwise.

The highest duty of a government is to protect and assist its people—in fact, that is the reason for its existence.

There should be immediate action to provide cheap long-time loans to home builders under a system similar to federal farm loans.

The time for delay has long since passed. The housing question is one of the greatest issues of the hour, and it must be met.

CONTENTMENT

"There's nothing like being contented."

Man said that.

Then:

When he got up in the morning he grumbled about the weather and about his breakfast. He had to hurry for a car, or wait for it. Whichever it was, he grumbled.

He glowered at the conductor. Something he read in his newspaper annoyed him. He was splashed with mud when he got off the car, or just escaped it. Either way he was vexed.

He glowered at the others when he reached his office. He grumbled at the telephone service. At lunch the waiters seemed to be at the call of everyone except himself.

The weather causes more grumbling than anything else, in spite of

the fact that all the grumbling won't change it in the least. But many grumble no less at a hundred other things they are no less powerless to correct.

Life is full of vexations which couldn't be smoothed out even in the millennium. Contentment is refusing to be annoyed at what can't be helped. But how many recognize that?

Most of us are more disturbed by trifles than by an approach of death itself. When the last day comes, and a hush falls over all, it won't last more than a minute. It will be broken by a myriad demands of "Who you shoving?" and "Get off my foot!"

Then the man who grumbles about the weather will say, "So this is the end of the world! What a poor day for it!"

EQUALITY

North Dakota has tested its "children equality" law. This act, the first of its kind in the country, provides that a child born out of wedlock is the child of its natural parents, and as such, is entitled to support, shelter and education equally with other children born in legal marriage, and is entitled to share in any estate jointly with all other legal heirs.

The law was held constitutional in a case tried at Fargo. In that instance the child was awarded its father's name and declared his heir.

There are just 47 states in the Union in need of such legislation.

One who finds life dull when deprived of something with a kick in it might get a job serving England in Ireland.

Marylanders are praying to keep taxes from going higher, the theory being that praying will prevent praying.

One is at liberty to suspect that Uncle Sam's foreign policy was decided by means of a ouija board.

Such is Life



Harriet Hammond looks in to remark that the half-hose fashion for ladies is sure to be appreciated more when comes the real hot summer weather.

And every mosquito agrees with her!

It has been some considerable while since Dame Fashion drew a card more tickling to the skeeter tribe than the socks for feminine limbs.

As Miss Hammond so aptly remarks:

"There has been a fearful waste of material in full-length stockings."

She argues:

"The half hose for ladies ought to conserve cotton and silk, which, goodness knows, is scarce enough now; at least, they tell you so when you say the price is too high."

"If every pair of stockings were cut in two, there'd be two pairs of socks for every lady who has but one pair of stockings now."

But the hard-hearted dealer punctures this dream by ultimating as follows:

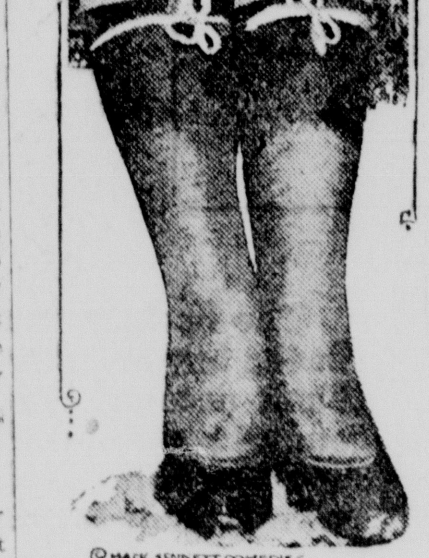
"The price of ladies' half hose will be about as high as stocking prices."

In other words, the socks will be half as high, but the price will be just as high. Get that?

In passing permit me to recall your attention to the fact that Wichita, Kan., introduced the feminine sock, thereby gaining another lap on Paris, New York and Atlantic City.

Which resurrects William Allen White's old query:

What's the matter with Kansas? Nothing! Absolutely not a thing! Take that answer from Harriet Hammond, whose pedal extremities, viewed often on the screen, are displayed below:

30 YEARS AGO IN
DIXON TELEGRAPH

Supervisor Ernest Weiner or Reynolds was a visitor in Dixon.

George Dock, clerk at the Nachusa Hotel, received from New York \$1,800, a legacy from his father's estate.

Justice of the Peace J. N. Hills opened an office in the Countryman building.

Dr. E. J. Leigh, of Rochelle, moved to this city to make his future home.

TEN YEARS AGO IN
DIXON TELEGRAPH

Oscar Wernick had his left hand badly crushed in a machine at the Grand Detour plow works.

Horse and buggy belonging to Henry Floto of North Dixon was stolen from in front of the Methodist church while the family were attending services there.

Doctors C. C. Hunt and O. B. Blackman presented their medical libraries to the Dixon Library.

ADVENTURES
OF THE TWINS
by Olive Roberts Barton

CASPER CATBIRD IS FOUND

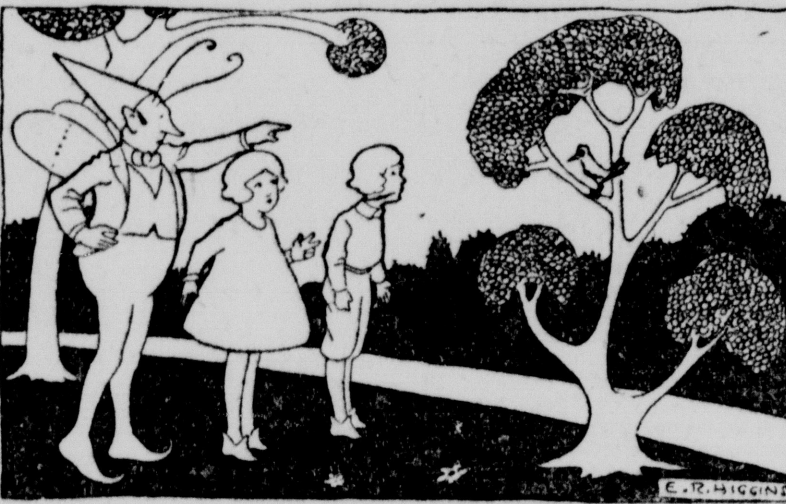
The twins were puzzled to know where all of the noises were coming from. They could hear the chattering and quarreling, yet search as they would, they could find nothing of Mr. Frog nor Mrs. Hen, nor any of the others.

There it was again! Mr. Frog still teasing someone! "You're dumb, you're dumb!" he accused. Then Mrs. Hen denied it as before. "I'm not at all. I'm not at all!" she screamed. "Give him fits-fits-fits," put in Sid Sparrow, and then Mrs. Owl boomed, "Who, who, who?"

"Oh, dear! Where can they all be?" cried Nancy. "I don't see a single one of them."

Now all this time, of course, Casper Catbird was getting out of taking his bath, for while Nick and Nancy were hunting for the quarrelers, to stop the trouble, they couldn't be bothered searching for him. And you may imagine Casper was just about tickled to pieces.

But something occurred! Nick happened to look behind the door, and there was Mr. Frog peacefully asleep. He had no more idea of quarreling



They spied a small gray figure talking to himself and scolding for dear life

than I have this minute, and I'm feeling pretty friendly indeed. But there was his voice still making fun of someone. Mysterious, wasn't it?

Then Rubadub, the fairyman, beckoned quietly for the children to follow him, so all three tiptoed softly to a tall bush outside. Peeping up through the leaves they spied a small gray figure talking to himself and scolding for dear life, with six voices, Mr. Frog, Mrs. Hen, and all the others.

Rubadub reached up and grabbed—whom do you suppose? Casper Catbird, no other.

"You're smart because you're Mr. Mockingbird's cousin and can mock anyone you wish," laughed Rubadub. "What shall I do with you?"

"Give him two baths," said the Magical Mushroom. And they did.

MOTHERS' DAY—MAY 9TH

BY JESSE F. GELDERS

The wide world over, we see it penned:
"Man's mother is ever his one best friend."
And it's likely that each who says it, too,
First learned for himself, the words were true.
When Success turned off with the ones he thought
Would give him aid—till the aid was sought—
When his plans went wrong, and he turned with shame,
When PROVED that she loved him just the same
And he told her all, and he raised his head,
And she smiled, and he found that his hurt had fled.
He went to her when things all seemed blue,
And she gave him courage to try anew.
"His one best friend"—so the saying goes.
He says it because he's learned. HE KNOWS.
With a love through all, to the very end—
What a gift, to be born with that sort of a friend!

JUST JOKING

Enough to Make One Sick
"What's the matter, old top? You look sick."
"I've just undergone a serious operation."
"Appendicitis?"
"Worse than that, I had my allowance cut off."—Portland Express.

A Hopeful Disposition

"I have just discovered the boss optimist of the universe," remarked Mr. Dubwaite.
"What do you mean?" asked Mr. Twobble.

"Here's his name and address in this newspaper. He offers a reward of \$500 for the recovery of \$1000 worth of liquor stolen from his garage."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

REVOLT

By Edmund Vance Cooke
Mister Bull and Sister Cow
Both are going barefoot now.

Thomas and Tabitha Cat
Very seldom wear a hat.

Brother Sheep declines to eat
Every sort of butcher meat.

William Goat goes all unshorned
And un-barbered of his beard.

Jenny Wren says not one cent
Will she pay of increased rent.

Madame Robin boasts, 'tis said,
That her husband is a Red.

Mother Earth's spring suit is made
Patched with green of every shade.

Even Heaven has heard the call—
See its bright blue over all!

(Copyright, 1920, N. E. A.)
It is reported that the former kaiser is a poor man. Evidently the wood sawyers in Holland are not organized.

You can say one thing for de Valera. When it comes to leading a revolution he believes in safety first.

—When you need anything in the job printing line, call No. 5, B. F. Shaw Ptz. Co.

BY GEORGE McMANUS

Increases and the discomfort is more marked.

The height of the disease is usually reached on the third or fourth day. If simple cleanliness is observed the disease usually runs its course in two or three weeks, but it may last for six months if no treatment is employed.

In all cases of pink eye it is important to consult a good doctor at once, for some forms of conjunctivitis, mistaken for simple "pink eye," are really highly dangerous and may lead to blindness.

In all cases of "pink eye" or other forms of conjunctivitis care should be taken not to allow the discharge to get on towels, napkins or other articles which might be the means of transferring the disease to others.

Scrupulous cleanliness is to the utmost importance. Eye drops or eye washes should not be used unless prescribed by a physician.

Q—I am bothered sometimes with daze in front of my eyes, which lasts about 15 minutes and leaves me with a severe headache. Could you tell me what causes it and what I should do?

A.—It is not possible merely from such a description to determine the nature of this ailment. Such symptoms might come with kidney trouble or might even be related to epilepsy. By all means consult a good physician at once, have him give you a thorough examination, including an analysis of the urine, and also an examination of the eyes.

Q—I am chairman of a prominent woman's club, and would like to interest our members in controlling venereal diseases in our city. Where can I get detailed information as to how to proceed?

A.—Send me your name and address and I shall be glad to mail you a 24-page pamphlet entitled, "How to Fight Venereal Diseases in Your City." Address the Information Editor, U. S. Public Health Service, Washington, D. C.

PEOPLE'S COLUMN.

FAVORS GENERAL WOOD.
May 7, 1920, Dixon, Ill.

My Dear Citizens:—
I beg leave to give you a printed compliment concerning our future making his headquarters at suite 1248 Congress Hotel, Chicago, Ill. I am very much in favor of the Military candidate and I do believe that Leonard Wood will carry a majority of votes which will be cast in honor of our future presidential election which will be held in the month of November, 1920. I very much appreciate each and every citizen who will favor a man who has the familiar credit of being a strictly military candidate.

Very respectfully,
Private Chas. W. Bishop.

The food situation in Europe could be improved by sending over a cargo of hemp neckties for profiteers.

Europe could earn America's sympathy fully as well by doing more to earn her own bread.

ABE MARTIN.



Contrary t' th' pop'lar impression, th' saxophone is a very old musical instrument, but it wuzn' until recent years that a dance wuz found t' fit it. What's become o' th' ole time store-keeper that blew in th' sack?

Health
Advice

By Uncle Sam, M. D.

Health Questions will be answered if sent to Information Bureau, U. S. Public Service, Washington, D. C.

PINK EYE.

Pink eye is an acute inflammation of the membrane lining the eyeball and eyelids. In other words it is a form of conjunctivitis.

It begins with a slight itching of the eye. On the morning of the second day the margins of the lids are stuck together by a yellowish gray secretion. There is a burning sensation in the lids, but interference with vision is slight. Toward evening the discharge

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HORNSBY SETS PACE FOR BAT MEN OF NAT. L.

Joe Jackson Continues to Lead in Ameri- can League

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, May 8.—Roger Hornsby, the St. Louis star, is showing the way to the batters of the National league with an average of .450, and Leblond, of Philadelphia, with .375, is the runner up, according to averages released today. The averages include games of Wednesday.

Hornsby has been at bat 63 times in fifteen games. He drove out 23 hits for a total of 33 bases. In this collection he bagged six doubles and one home run. He has been showing much speed on the paths, having registered 12 runs.

Ed. Roush, of Cincinnati, who held the batting honors of the league last season, gradually is getting his stride. He boosted his average to .262, forty-six points within a week.

Robertson, of Chicago, leads in home runs with 3. Williams, Philadelphia and Paskert, Chicago, are tied for second place with 2 each.

Other leading batters for ten or more games: Groh, Cincinnati, .359; Z. Wheat, Brooklyn, .357; Daubert, Cincinnati, .336; Duncan, Cincinnati, .328; Bancroft, Philadelphia, .324; Rath, Cincinnati, .324; Burns, New York, .319; Plack, Chicago, .309; Janvrin, St. Louis, .306; Fournier, St. Louis, .302; Caton, Pittsburgh, .302.

"Babe" Ruth of New York celebrated his return to the game by cracking out two home runs.

The home run king, has a batting average of .261 for 12 games having made 12 hits in 46 times at bat. His hits besides the two home runs, include a triple and three doubles.

Ty Cobb, the Detroit star, who held the batting championship last season, is rounding into form, and has boosted his mark from .162 to .214 within a week.

Joe Jackson, the Chicago White Sox slugger, continues to top the batters in the American League who have participated in ten or more games. There are three batters in the "400" class, headed by Jackson with .434; Johnston, Cleveland is second with .408 and Weaver, Chicago third with .404.

Other leading batters: Speaker, Cleveland, .375; Sisler, St. Louis, .368; Dugan, Philadelphia, .356; E. Collins, Chicago, .357; Jacobson, St. Louis, .347; Scott, Boston, .328; C. Walker, .324.

WEST BROOKLYN.

B. J. Dean motored over from Mendota Thursday.

Harry Badger and J. J. Cole motored over from Amboy Friday in the interests of the new condenser being erected there.

A. B. McCrea motored to Dixon Thursday and turned in his assessor's book for this year. This completes his fifteenth year as assessor for Lee township.

Joseph H. Bauer motored over from Compton Thursday.

A. B. Whitcomb and Mr. Marvin motored over from Amboy the latter part of the week and looked after business pertaining to the I. N. U. Co.

Mrs. Prosper Gardner was a morning passenger for Paw Paw Friday and spent the day visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Hicks moved their household goods to the Hillmann building where they will occupy the upper story as a residence and the lower portion will be used as an up-to-date grocery and meat market.

Mrs. Olympie Gehant has been visiting at the home of her son, X. F. Gehant at Dixon the past week.

The Mexicans who have been working on the tracks left rather unexpectedly when the railroad company found some repairing that was to be made at once on the tracks near Sterling. They will return later for the remainder of the summer.

Miss Mary Buser motored over from Franklin Grove Thursday and called upon old friends. She states that her father is in the best of health and likes the new location fine.

J. H. Phalen is here from Ransom and is doing painting and repair work on the buildings of his brother.

John C. Henkel motored over from Mendota Wednesday and visited at the home of his son, C. P. Henkel and family.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Oester motored over from Aurora Friday and spent the day visiting at the home of her brother, J. H. Dingus and family.

George Halbmaier was fortunate in securing a carload of gasoline the latter part of the week and relieved the shortage here.

Edward Henry and son Elliott, Laff Nelles, Albert Gehant, Ed. Sondag, and Leslie Derr, left Friday for Detroit to return with touring cars and trucks direct from the factory for the trade. The trip will involve several days.

Amil Vincent suffered a painful accident Friday while at work with the mason contractors erecting a foundation for a barn on the old tile factory yards. He and a partner were driving a stake and Amil was about to straighten the stake when the helper gave one more stroke with the sledge, smashing his thumb. He was rushed to the doctor who found it necessary to amputate it.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Long motored to Dixon Friday.

F. J. Herman unloaded a carload of seven Fordson tractors Saturday. Jack Erbes was able to be about town again Friday after being laid up a week with the mumps.

Ed. Herman drove over from Mendota Friday in quest of horses.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. White and son Carrey, motored over from Scarborough Sunday and spent the day visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. Elma Fisher.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Haas motored up from Peru and spent Sunday visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mary Graf.

George Bresson is able to be about again after being laid up with a relapse after having the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. John Richardson motored over from Compton Thursday.

The funeral services of George Loveland were held at the Union cem-

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PRINCE GIVEN STRANGE HONOR BY MAORI TRIBE

Ancient Enemies of J. Bull Danced for English Heir

Washington, D. C.—The Prince of Wales, whom the English press affectionately termed "our greatest ambassador" following his tour of the United States and Canada, received the strangest reception of all when he later visited New Zealand.

There the Maori tribesman, long the arch-enemies of British colonists, danced the ancient war dance, while a thousand Maori girls, in gay native costume, did their dances to native music in his honor.

"The Maoris are in many respects the most savage with whom the white man has come in contact," says a bulletin based on a communication to the National Geographic Society.

"Fifty years ago cannibalistic feasts, at which the flesh of their fallen enemies was served, were not uncommon. Several members of their race have won seats in the New Zealand Parliament, and Maori women, as well as the white women of New Zealand, exercise the right to vote.

"When the English first occupied the islands, the Maoris were divided into tribes, each tribe having its own unwritten laws regarding land cultivation and other social matters. The tribes were constantly fighting. The English found that these tribesmen had genius for war, showing unusual ability in building, fortifying, and defending stockades. The Maoris also were skilled in several arts: They tilled the soil with great care; as carvers and decorators they were unrivaled in the Oceanic world, and they displayed great originality in the design and perfection in the execution of rock paintings, and in carving the ornamental figures of their dwellings, their boats and sacred inclosures. Many of these objects are carefully preserved in museums.

"But the Maoris also were noted for their remarkable tattooing, which was designed to clothe as well as decorate the body. The Maori artist knew how to give endless variety to the curves of his drawings; the natural furrows, the movement of the countenance, the play of muscles—everything was made to enhance the charm of the design; and a hale young man presented a fine sight, draped only in this delicate net-work of blue lines on the ruddy brown of his skin.

"There are now about 33,000 Maoris. These have retired to the northern provinces of New Zealand, where certain 'reservations' have been set apart as their exclusive property. Schools have been established which the Maori children attend regularly. It is said that such of them as continue into the higher branches of learning are

worthy rivals of white students. Some of the Maoris have become large landed proprietors; they are proud of the right to vote, and especially of the fact that their women were given this privilege at the same time that it was given to the white women of New Zealand, in 1893."

PARIS STRIKE BREAKING

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Paris, May 8.—Many striking railwaymen are resuming work, it was said today in official circles, and the service has improved. The Laborites, however, asserted that four-fifths of the railway men are out.

The general Federation of Labor announced today that it would inaugurate a campaign of propaganda to strengthen the effectiveness of the strike movement.

35,000 SIGN PROTEST

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Copenhagen, May 8.—Thirty-six thousand of the people of the second plebiscite zone of Schleswig have signed a declaration against the proposals to internationalize Flensburg, according to Berlin advices. This declaration has been sent to German representatives attached to the international commission for Schleswig.

Brief Summary of Last Night's News

London—Frank Moran knocked out Paul Journee, French heavyweight in the second round.

Washington—Japan has accepted all the terms of the Chinese consortium with the United States, Great Britain and France, ending two years financial negotiations.

Mineola, N. Y.—Clarence Coombs established a new altitude record of 16,200 feet with three passengers.

Paris—French merchants declared Great Britain has stolen a march on the United States and France in securing German contracts to furnish raw materials and receive manufactured articles in exchange.

Paris—An additional five days was granted the Hungarian delegates to peruse the peace treaty which will be accepted or rejected by the cabinet ministers.

Budapest — Thousands of women and children besought the American

high commissioners to continue the relief work of the Red Cross and child welfare league declaring great misery still exists.

Louisville, Ky. — Joe Stoecher, world's champion, threw Yussif Hussane in two straight falls. The first in one hour and 14 minutes and the second in eight seconds. He used the body scissors to obtain both falls. Ed (Strangler) Lewis, defeated Ramon Cazeau, French wrestler in two straight falls in 17 and 9 minutes respectively.

Turkey Gets Month to Consider Treaty

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Paris, May 8.—The council of ambassadors today decided to give Turkey a month to consider the peace treaty which will be presented to the Turkish plenipotentiary in the Clock Room at the foreign office next Tuesday afternoon.

—Mail orders received for Egg Candles, Certificates, B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co., Dixon, Ill.

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Raising Purse to Appeal Best's Case

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Pontiac, Mich., May 8.—Anson Best, convicted last night of the murder of Vera Schneider, a telephone operator, and sentenced to life imprisonment at Marquette will not be taken to the Northern Michigan prison immediately. A movement to finance an appeal by popular subscription begun immediately after the verdict was continued today.

Before sentence was pronounced Best called upon heaven to witness his innocence, and a purse was immediately started. It was said to contain \$1,000 today.

The prisoner in his direct testimony and on cross examination maintained he had never known Miss Schneider and that the confession offered by the prosecution was obtained from him under duress.

PROROGUE PARLIAMENT

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Madrid, May 7.—Decision to prorogue parliament until autumn was reached by the cabinet today and a decree carrying out this resolution will be issued tomorrow.

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Furniture Polish
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Then, too, you'll find a well chosen line of the rugs most suited to bedroom, living room and dining room of the wool fibre, all fibre, and grass rugs and these are so attractively pretty and so moderate in price that you may feel well pleased with a very moderate outlay of money.

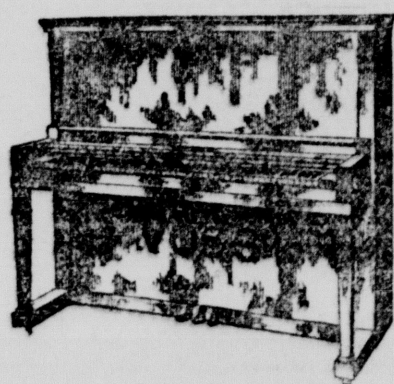
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MOTOR NOTES



Drain Out Anti-Freeze.
Before getting into warmer days, clean the cooling system by draining out all anti-freeze and sediment that may have collected during the winter. Open the cock at the bottom of the radiator, to let out all liquid, and flush the system with several pails of water, before refilling with fresh water.

Frost Own Headlights.
A simple method to dim the headlights by frosting the glass, is by coating the inner side of the glass with a solution of Epsom salts and water. Let the solution dry on the glass, and the frosting will serve efficiently as a dimmer for several months.

On Shifting Gears.
In shifting gears always remember to first use a positive stroke, "feeling" one gear into another, when the car is moving at about the speed equal to that of the particular gear you wish to shift to. Then force the lever home with a quick motion—and you won't be bothered with a damaged gearset for a long time.

To Clean Upholstery.
The use of gasoline on leather upholstery will crack the leather. A good cleaner is plain water with a little ammonia added. Or, even better is a mixture of two parts linseed oil with one part turpentine.

Protects Ignition Cables.
Old garden hose can be cut up and fitted on ignition cables to protect the wires from short circuits, oil, etc. Holes can be cut into the wall of the hose at the points where the wires are to lead out to the spark plugs.

Hood Dulls First.
Due to the various degrees of temperature undergone by the hood of the machine, this part is first to lose its fine finish. Especially after a rain, when the water is likely to dry on the hood, due to the warmth, more rapidly than on the rest of the car, the hood should be wiped dry as soon as the car is in the garage.

BASE BALL

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.			
American League.			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	11	5	.688
Boston	13	6	.684
Cleveland	12	6	.667
Washington	9	9	.500
St. Louis	8	8	.500
New York	8	10	.444
Philadelphia	6	11	.353
Detroit	3	15	.167
National League.			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Cincinnati	12	7	.632
Boston	8	5	.615
Pittsburgh	9	7	.563
Brooklyn	9	8	.520
Philadelphia	9	9	.500
St. Louis	7	10	.412
Chicago	8	12	.400
New York	6	10	.313

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.
American League.
Chicago, 6; Cleveland, 1.
St. Louis, 10; Detroit, 4.
Washington, 6; New York, 5.
Philadelphia, 5; Boston, 4.
National League.
Chicago, 6; Pittsburgh, 4.
Cincinnati, 15; St. Louis, 11.
Boston, 8; Philadelphia, 6.
New York, 7; Brooklyn, 6.

Chicago Will Have World's Largest Inn
By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, May 8.—Plans for the largest hotel in the world to front three blocks on Lake Michigan and Sheridan Road, were made public today.

According to the plans the hotel will be in five units with the present Edgewater Beach Hotel as one unit. The architects have planned 4,000 rooms. The cost is estimated at \$15,000,000.

A theatre, seating 2,500, is a feature of the plan.



GRAY HAIR BECOMES DARK AND BEAUTIFUL

Try Grandmother's Old Favorite Recipe of Sage Tea and Sulphur.

Almost everyone knows that Sage Tea and Sulphur, properly compounded, brings back the natural color and lustre to the hair when faded, streaked or gray. Years ago the only way to get this mixture was to make it at home, which is messy and troublesome. Nowadays we simply ask at any drug store for Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound. You will get a large bottle of this old-time recipe, improved by the addition of other ingredients, at very little cost. Everybody uses this preparation now, because no one can possibly tell that you have darkened your hair, as it does it so naturally and evenly. You dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair disappears, and after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, thick and glossy and you look two years younger. Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound is a delightful toilet requisite. It is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.

SAFETY RULES REDUCE TRAFFIC TOLL ST. LOUIS EDUCATES PUBLIC AND CUTS DOWN ACCIDENTS

St. Louis, Mo., May 8.—Ordinances and regulations, however, strictly enforced, failed to reduce automobile accidents to any appreciable extent. So police officials of this city decided on other tactics. With the co-operation of the local automobile club and other organizations, the police drew up sets of rules more gratifying than ever. Here are the rules:

FOR CHILDREN.
Always Be Careful.
Do not play in the roadway.
Play on the sidewalk or on the nearest play ground or vacant lot.
Don't skate on sidewalks or on roadways.
Never chase a ball across the street.
Don't hitch on autos, trolleys or wagons.
Do not coast where trolley or autos go.
Don't play around autos or touch any of the levers.
Never touch wires at any time or place.
Do not fear the policemen; they will help and protect you.
Never run behind a standing trolley car; there may be another car or automobile approaching the other side.

FOR PEDESTRIANS.
Always Be Cautious.
Look both ways before crossing a street.
Cross the street at the regular crossing, not diagonally or in the middle of the block.
Don't read a paper when crossing a street.
Always obey the traffic officers' signals and commands.

Keep your eyes open for trolleys, autos and wagons.
When passing behind a street car, look out for vehicles approaching from the opposite direction.
Do not jump on or off a moving street car; wait until the car stops.
When carrying an umbrella do not permit it to obstruct your view.

FOR MOTORISTS.
Always Be Considerate.
Go slow, passing children or vehicles, around corners—approaching crossings.
Stop: At railroad crossings—behind street cars taking on or discharging passengers.
Give warning signal of your approach and keep to the right.
Give warning signal when stopping or turning.
Use tire chains on wet and slippery pavements.
Remove headlight glare.
Be sure your brakes are in good working order; inspect them frequently.
Include a fire extinguisher on your car equipment—You never can tell.
Have your car under perfect control for a quick stop.



Gasoline may be soaring, but if we are complaining against the price, what would we say for the motorists in Nyassaland, East Africa, where the price of the fuel is \$2 a gallon and is hard to get even at that?

Motorists in New Hampshire must reduce to a speed of 10 miles when within 100 feet of a railroad crossing. Enforcement of this statute has effectively reduced the number of accidents at such points.

The threatened shortage of gasoline has again brought up the problem of finding a substitute. Alcohol has been suggested, but, says Prof. C. H. Pratt of the Cleveland Auto School, it has been tried and found wanting. Engineers who have experimented with alcohol as a fuel have found that an engine uses twice as much as gasoline. Besides, a totally different engine would have to be constructed, because alcohol would cut the carburetor and cylinders of present makes.

A new importation is the PicPac car. It comes all the way from Greece. Its principal original feature is the four-cylinder valveless engine with a single sleeve for each cylinder. Other details also differentiate this car from other European products.

Austolists in the United States are expected to demand only 80,000,000 tires during 1920, says the Chamber of Commerce. This includes all sorts of motor vehicles.

There are still some places in the civilized world that know nothing of automobiles. Nuns at Notting Hill convent near London, Eng., were surprised at the peculiar horseless vehicle awaiting them. And even in this country, at Tangier Island, Va., where the constable shot a lad for sitting on the porch on Sunday, there is not a single motor vehicle for the 2,000 inhabitants.

Nova Scotia has decided to spend \$58,000,000 for the construction and improvement of its 4,900 miles of roads.

Nine Poisoned Last Night by Carbon Gas

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, May 8.—Police were investigating today the poisoning of nine persons by a mysterious carbon monoxide gas last night in a house occupied by two families. The victims were recovering today.
Two doctors who came to give first aid to the seven persons suddenly over-

come were themselves overcome. Police had to be called to carry the victims from the house.

Gasoline Shortage is Still Acute in Dixon

The possibility of a gasless Sunday in Dixon is even more evident today than yesterday, when it was announced that the supply was rapidly decreasing and in some cases tanks were empty. The Pennsylvania company's storage tanks in North Dixon were emptied yesterday and all that could be secured from the plant at Oregon was placed in the down town supply stations. Both the Standard and Pennsylvania plants were without gasoline this morning and there is no definite relief in sight.
W. D. Anderson, manager of the Sinclair company, stated this morning that he had a sufficient supply on hand to run for two or three days. Both of the other plants have several

Meet Monday to Plan for G.O.P. Convention

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Chicago, May 8.—The Republican National committee will meet here next Monday and Tuesday to plan arrangements for the national convention, members were notified today. A. T. Hert, of Kentucky is chairman of the committee on arrangements.
Fred W. Upham, treasurer of the national committee will bear a large part of the burden in arranging the present convention, Republicans said today.
Gov. Edwards, of New Jersey, Democrat and Senator Johnson of California, Republican, opened national headquarters here yesterday.

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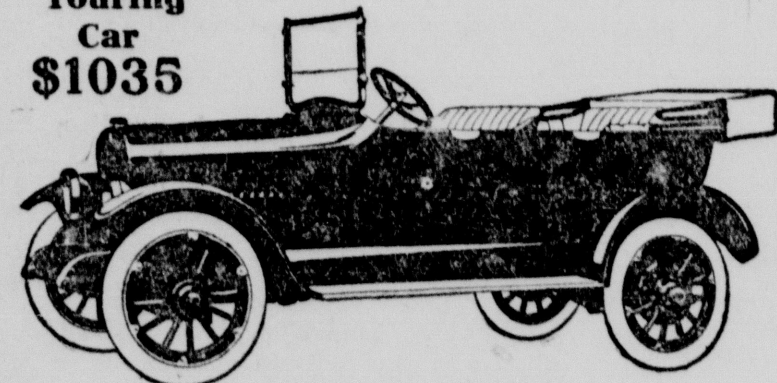
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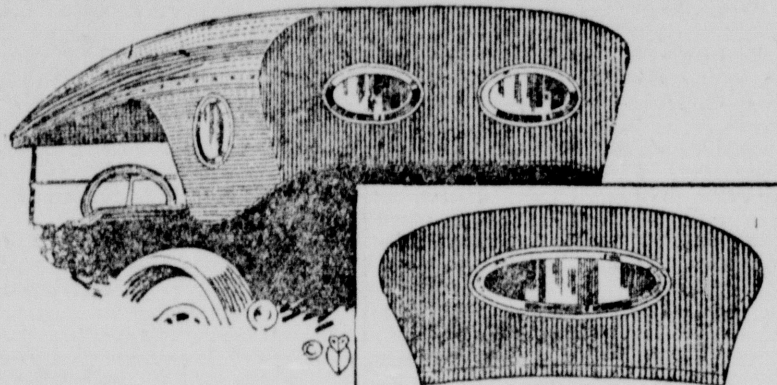
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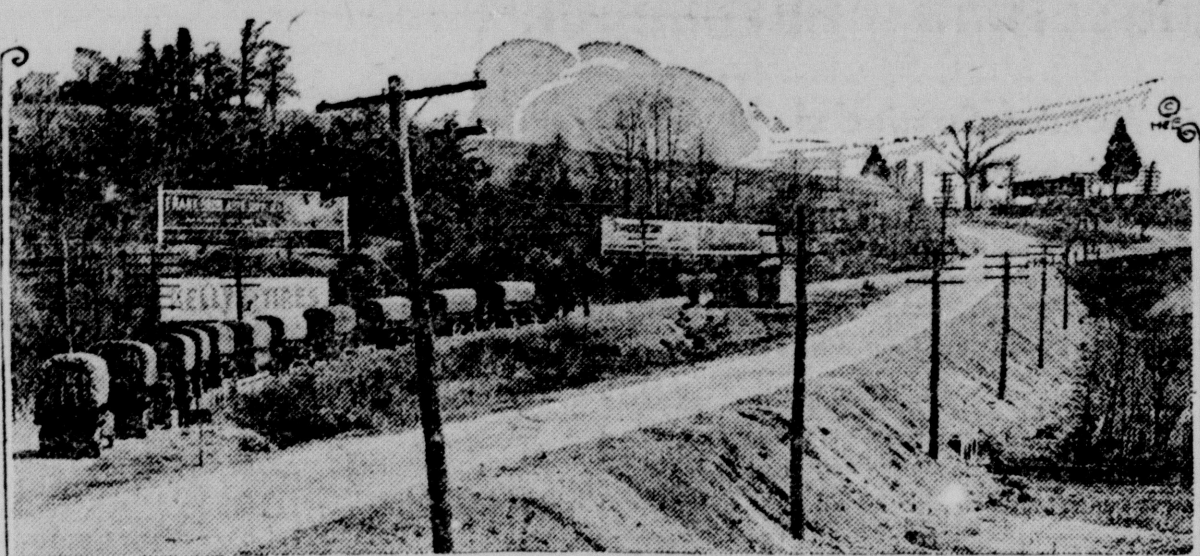
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ercome were themselves overcome. Nurses do you need a new supply of record sheets. We have them. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

Mrs. J. McCoy and Mrs. Powers, of Amboy, were Wednesday shoppers in Dixon.



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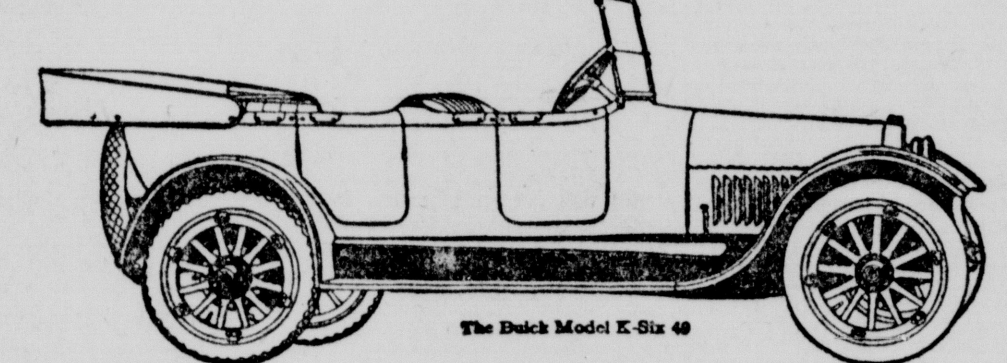
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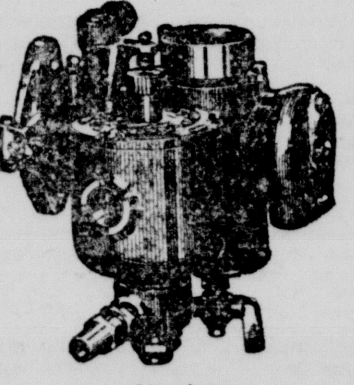
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FOR SALE—Lot 1, Block 20, Gilson Add. Amboy. Inquire of Mrs. Eustace Shaw, Evening Telegraph. Dixon, Ill. 651*

FOR SALE—Reed Baby cab, in good condition. Cheap if taken at once. Phone Y 1175. 10813*

FOR SALE—Egg candling certificates. B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co., Dixon, Ill. 821*

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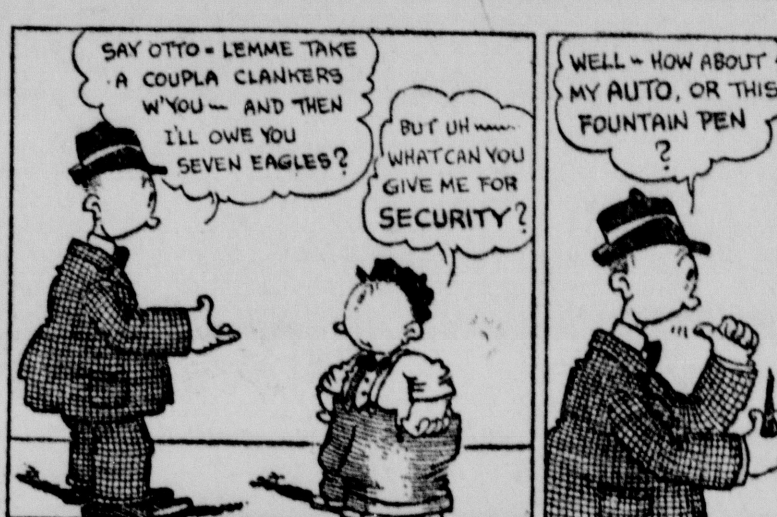
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MASTER IN CHANCERY SALE IN PARTITION

State of Illinois, County of Lee, ss. In the Circuit Court, of said County Harold M. Smith

vs. Walter L. Smith.

In Chancery, Partition, No. 3829. Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree of said Circuit Court made and entered in said cause on the 22nd day of April, A. D. 1920, I, the undersigned Master in Chancery of said Court, will, on Tuesday, the 25th day of May, 1920, at the hour of 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon, on the premises hereinafter described, in the Town (or village) of Nachusa, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder on the terms hereinafter specified, the following described premises, to-wit:—

Lots Number Eighteen (18), Nineteen (19), and Twenty (20), in Block Number Eleven (11), in the Town (or Village) of Nachusa, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois.

Terms of Sale:—Ten per cent (10%) of the purchase price in cash, on the day of sale, and the balance of the purchase price, in cash, upon the approval of the Master's Report of Sale, and the tender of a good and sufficient Master's Deed for said premises.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, this 24th day of April, A. D. 1920.

MARK C. KELLER, Master in Chancery

Henry C. Warner, Solicitor for Complainant.

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BANKRUPTCY NOTICE. In the District Court of the United States of America for the Northern District of Illinois, Western Division.

In re William H. Herbon, Bankrupt.

To the creditors of William H. Herbon of Dixon, Illinois, a bankrupt. Notice is hereby given that on the 7th day of May, 1920, the said William H. Herbon was duly adjudicated bankrupt; that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at my office in the city of Dixon on the 17th day of

May, 1920, at 10:00 a. m. at which time the creditors may prove their claims; appoint a Trustee; examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

Dixon, Illinois, May 7, 1920. HENRY S. DIXON, Referee in Bankruptcy. John O. Shaulis, Attorney for Bankrupt.

ROCHELLE

Rochelle, May 8.—Fortunate in talent and direction, "The Maid and the Middy," the two act operetta presented by the combined high school glee clubs, in the Majestic theater last night, proved a home talent triumph. The piece abounds with youth, action and tuneful numbers and the plot of the sketch keeps the audience in suspense until the closing lines of the play.

The plot revolves a round the shores leave of a Jackie named Billy. Billy goes ashore in Spain and develops an infatuation for a certain Anita, much to the chagrin of a Spanish Count and Billy's sweetheart, Valerie Vane, a girl in the U. S. A. The count follows Billy to America, where the action of the play occurs on the grounds of the Lakeville Boat club and in the club house. The time is the present.

The identity of the mysterious Anita is revealed in the closing lines causing gales of laughter and reuniting the lovers.

The leads are well played by Orlo Sherwood as Billy; Arthur Valentine, as a retired farmer; Elbert Hackett as the count; Clarence Dingle as Capt. Dasher; Helen Jones as Valerie Vane; Margaret Dingle as Mrs. Gally, an attractive widow; and others.

The play will be repeated this evening.

The management was as follows: Director—Olive Mae Menz. Director of Special Dances—Florence Crull.

Accompanist—Josephine Nichols. Violinist—Prof. C. F. Toenniges. Stage Manager—Paul Sparks.

Fifty young people have a part in the cast, and in addition to the plot of the play, the operetta has a distinct appeal in the special dancing numbers by two groups of girls, a Liberty Battalion drill, and a solo dance by Madeline Osborne.

The play drew a crowded house on the opening night.

A unique caravan parked outside of the Lazier garage on Main street on Thursday night. Two men were driving two Federal 2 1/2 ton automobile trucks through from Michigan to Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Each truck had still another truck of the same size loaded on, the tourists thus transferring four trucks to the point of destination and foiling the present traffic crisis.

Two prominent Rochelle young men were married Wednesday, May 5. Robert C. Maley, a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Maley of Rochelle, and Miss Kathleen M. Chabot, of Kankakee, were principals in a pretty church wedding in Kankakee in the morning. Rev. Father Shea reading the service in St. Patrick's church. The attendants were Miss Helen Hogan, a cousin of the bride, and Cletus Maley, a brother of the groom.

The bride wore a dress of white organdie with Liberty satin sash and garden hat to match, and carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses. The maid of honor wore a pink organdie with orchid hat and carried pink roses and sweet peas. After the ceremony a three course wedding breakfast was served at the bride's home to relatives of the contracting couple and to school friends of the bride.

The bride is a graduate of the household science class of the University of Illinois of 1917 and during the war she was employed by the government as home demonstration agent.

Mr. Maley is a graduate of Rochelle high school with the class of 1911. He completed the mechanical engineering course at the University of Illinois and received his Bachelor of Science degree in June 1915. He served one and a half years with the A. E. F. in France as a lieutenant in the Ordnance department.

Upon his discharge he resumed his position with Wonham, Bates & Goods, Inc., with headquarters at Boston, Mass., where Mr. and Mrs. Maley will reside. Mr. and Mrs. Maley left Kankakee Friday for their new home.

Miss Blanche Crawford, only child of Mr. and Mrs. George Crawford, of Aurora, and Mr. Jay Countryman, of Rochelle, were quietly married in the parsonage of the First Methodist church in Chicago on Wednesday afternoon, May 5. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Southworth of this city.

The bride is a graduate of Aurora high school and the Northern Illinois Normal School of DeKalb, and has been very successful as a teacher in the Aurora schools for the last few years. She is a granddaughter of the late John Bain and has made many visits to this city, where she has a large circle of friends.

Mr. Countryman is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Countryman of this city, and is a graduate of the Rochelle high school in the class of 1905. Following his graduation he attended the University of Illinois for

two years, where he was a member of the Kappa Sigma fraternity, and later became manager of the Vinton Gas Co., of Vinton, Ia. At present he is interested in lumbering and a summer resort in northern Minnesota.

W. C. Whitcomb has called that he expects to sail on his return from France, May 15th.

—Look now please at the little yellow tag on your Telegraph.

WATERWAYS COMMISSION. North Bay, Ont., May 7.—The International Joint Waterway Commission today opened hearings here on the proposed St. Lawrence deep waterway.

Interests favoring and opposed to the project were represented at the initial meeting. Sessions will continue through June at various Canadian and American centers.

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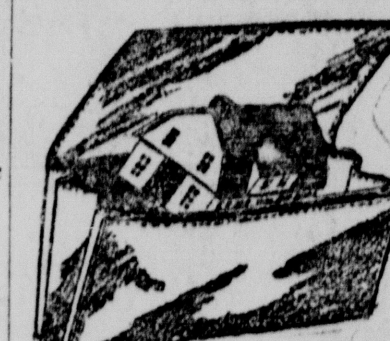
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Speaking of the scarcity of houses to rent reminds us of the experience of one lady who looked up just 48 leads before she found one she could get, and then she had to take a place and let the old rooster who owned it retain a room or two—just think of all that racing around and telephoning and then not being able to get a whole house for her family. Moral: See Sterling, and buy a home and thus save a lot of time and trouble.

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5-room cottage and an extra lot	\$1,750.00
5-room house, well and cistern	\$1,800.00
12-room double house, gas, cistern and city water	\$2,000.00
5-room cottage, barn, gas and city water	\$2,100.00
5-room cottage, gas, electric light and city water	\$2,250.00
6-room cottage and one acre of land	\$2,500.00
6-room cottage, gas, electricity, city water, large lot	\$2,600.00
5-room cottage, hot water heat	\$2,500.00
5-room cottage, one extra lot	\$2,800.00
9-room house, barn, garage, furnace, city and cistern water	\$2,650.00
7-room house, barn, garage, lot 150 ft. x 150 ft.	\$3,000.00
6-room house, barn, 1 1/2 acres of land	\$3,500.00
10 acres of land, well and fruit (no buildings)	\$3,500.00
7-room house, modern	\$3,650.00
7-room house and seven extra lots	\$4,000.00
7-room modern house	\$4,500.00
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French Evacuated Silician Territory

New York, May 7.—The French have retreated from Silicia and may entirely evacuate northern Syria, according to a dispatch received here today by the Near East Relief Commission from Dr. James L. Barton, its representative in Constantinople.

Auto Bandits Stole Bonds at Sciota, Ill.

Macomb, Ill., May 7.—Automobile bandits obtained registered government bonds and war savings stamps when they cracked the vault of the State Bank of Sciota, Ill., last night. The exact value of the paper has not been determined.

Charge Priests With Thefts of Sculpture

Florence, Italy, May 6.—Two priests were arrested today on charge of having stolen a bust by Antonio Canova, the celebrated Italian sculptor; an altar by Luca Della Robbia, the fifteenth century sculptor and other art treasures from the abbey of Arcadia. Copies of the original treasures were substituted by the thieves. The police have recovered the altar.

Charges Corner by Print Paper Makers

Washington, May 7.—Charges of a "corner" in print paper were made today before the senate committee investigating the paper shortage by Cortland Smith, of New York, president of the American Press Association.

France to Do Honor to American Heroes

Washington, May 7.—France will pay honor to the memory of the American dead in that country on American Decoration Day, May 30. The embassy announced today that French soldiers would parade at the larger American cemeteries.

WEALTHY WOMAN KILLED

Lincoln, Ill., May 7.—Mrs. Catherine Suedmeier, wife of H. J. Suedmeier, a wealthy farmer of Chestnut, Ill., was killed last night when the automobile in which she was riding with her husband was struck by a train. Suedmeier was not injured.

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TWO DROWN IN FLOOD

Beardstown, Ill., May 7.—The search for the bodies of Fred Dickens, postal clerk and Clarence Herzberger, rural route mail carrier, who were drowned last night in the Illinois river, was continued today. The two men were drowned when a boat in which they were inspecting some flooded lands overturned. The other men in the boat were rescued.

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